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Gen. Hero Describes CAC Reorganization

By MAJ. GEN. ANDREW HERO, Jr.
Chief of Coast Artillery

FOR the past several months the personnel of the office of the Chief of Coast Artillery has been engaged in the preparation of recommendations for the reorganization of the Coast Artillery Corps. These recommendations have been approved, recently by the War Department and are now being carried into effect.

At the time the reorganization was under consideration the Secretary of War added to the previous missions of the Coast Artillery by directing that hereafter all Coast Artillery troops be trained in anti-aircraft artillery in addition to their normal assignments to seacoast artillery. Seacoast artillery includes railway and tractor drawn artillery as well as fixed guns. This additional mission had an influence on the reorganization.

Economy Considered.

In the study which was made preliminary to the recommendations submitted, the matter of economy was kept in mind. Every effort was made to recommend an organization which would favor a reduction of military expenditures for Coast Artillery purposes. This was in harmony with the purpose of the survey of military expenditures recently conducted by the War Department General Staff at the request of the President of the United States.

While a reduction in costs was desirable the tactical and strategic missions of the Coast Artillery were considered paramount in order that this combat arm would be able to function efficiently in time of need and in accordance with the War Department defense plans.

In many respects the Coast Artillery differs from the other combat arms. While it now mans mobile guns as represented by antiaircraft, tractor drawn, and railway artillery, it is also concerned with the fixed defenses which are considered vital for the defense of our principal harbors and sea board industrial establishments. Although the tendency has been towards a greater use of the mobile type heavy gun for harbor defense the necessity for a certain amount of the fixed type for this purpose exists and the decision to continue it in service and ready for use at all times is believed to be sound.

Harbor Defenses.

But for this fact, the most obvious recommendations which could have been made towards a reduction in expenditures would have been a reduction in overhead which could have been accomplished by a concentration of the Coast Artillery Corps in a small number of locations. This, to a large extent, is opposed to tactical and strategic considerations. Furthermore it would not be in the interests of economy to abandon a great amount of valuable Coast Artillery armament and accessories which are now scattered in various harbor defenses along the Atlantic, Gulf, and Pacific Coasts.

The Regular Army in addition to its tactical missions has another very important mission in the training of the civilian components of the Army of the United States. This includes the National Guard, Organized Reserves, Citizens' Military Training Camps, and Reserve Officers' Training Corps units. These components which pertain to the Coast Artillery are scattered throughout the Continental limits of the United States. Since all training given these, except the National Guard, is a purely voluntary proposition on the part of those attending it is desirable that the training given be of the highest order and made as convenient for them as possible. Previously the train-

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Congress Approves Pay Study

APPOINTMENT of a Congressional committee to investigate the service pay situation now awaits only the signature of President Hoover to the joint resolution. The disagreement between the two houses of Congress was ironed out by the conferees Jan. 25, who agreed that the House should strike out the amendment it made which would have included the Lighthouse Service within the scope of the investigation.

On Jan. 27, Representative Snell reported the conferees' decision to the House and on Jan. 30 the House agreed to the conferees' report. The next day, Jan. 31, Senator McMaster presented the matter to the Senate which also agreed to the conferees' report and the measure was sent to the White House for Mr. Hoover's signature.

It is likely that the five Senators and five Representatives who are to compose the joint committee will be appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House next week and the investigation start shortly thereafter.

The conferees met Jan. 25 in the rooms of the Senate Military Affairs Committee and agreed to omit the Lighthouse Service from the bill. They

drew up the following report which was signed by Representatives Snell and Pou and Senators McMaster and Fletcher, the other two conferees, Senator Hatfield and Representative Purcell, not attending:

"The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 7) for the appointment of a joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives to investigate the pay and allowances of the commissioned and enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Public Health Service, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

"That the House recede from its amendment to the title of said joint resolution."

On Jan. 27, Representative Snell submitted this report to the House along with the following statement signed by the two managers on the part of the House:

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Naval Reserve Association Elects Capt. Charles Boone

CAPT. CHARLES BOONE, USNR, of Flushing, N. Y., was elected president of the United States Naval Reserve Officers' Association at its annual meeting in Washington last Monday. Comdr. William B. Allison, USNR, of Seattle, Wash., was named vice president and Comdr. Leo W. Hesselman, USNR, of New York, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

The Association adopted a resolution endorsing the appointment of a joint committee of Congress to investigate the pay situation in the services. Several other resolutions were adopted by the convention out of about 40 which were submitted to the resolutions committee headed by Capt. John T. Nelson, USNR.

More than 60 reserve officers were present during the sessions of the meeting which began with a meeting of the directors on Sunday afternoon and extended through Monday, being climaxed by a banquet that evening. Approximately 90 persons were present at the dinner, at which Capt. Boone, the newly installed president, acted as toastmaster.

Representative Melvin J. Maas, of Minnesota, who is president of the Ma-

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Drum Confirmed; DeWitt Favored; Hurley Explains

THE Senate Military Affairs Committee voted favorably Jan. 31 upon the nomination of Col. John L. DeWitt, Infantry, to be The Quartermaster General. Earlier in the week the Senate confirmed the nomination of Brig. Gen. Hugh A. Drum to be The Inspector General.

Although the meeting was in executive session, the Journal learned that the vote in favor of Col. DeWitt was unanimous. The committee meeting lasted for an hour and a quarter, but other nominations were also taken up. Gen. Charles P. Summerall, Chief of Staff, was closeted with the committee some time telling them the views of the Department on the appointment.

The extent of the opposition to the appointment of Col. DeWitt is not known, but it is generally understood that a number of letters and oral communications expressing opposition to the precedent of not appointing an officer commissioned in a branch as chief of that branch were sent to the committee.

Nothing in recent years has caused such an undercurrent of talk as the nominations of these two officers. Everywhere there are words of praise for the men individually and for their

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Additional Safety to Submarine Crews Given By Navy's New "Undersea Speaker"

A REMARKABLE device known as the "undersea speaker" has been developed by the United States Navy as an additional and valuable safety element for the crews entrapped in sunken submarines.

The apparatus makes it possible to carry on instantaneous two-way communication between persons in a submarine at the bottom of the sea and rescuers on the surface.

All of the equipment is carried on the surface ship, and can be lowered to the disabled submarine by cable without the use of divers. By means of an electro-magnet it adheres to the metal hull of the submarine through which words spoken into the mouthpiece on the surface are clearly audible in all parts of the submarine. By the turn of a switch on the surface vessel, the apparatus becomes a receiver of sound from the submarine, the hull of which

acts as a diaphragm and sound conductor to the reproducer. Any sound inside the submarine is picked up by the device and conveyed to the ears of the listeners on the surface.

In this way it will be possible for submarine rescue vessels to establish immediate communication with persons on board the disabled undersea craft, and the latter are able to give information which may result in saving their lives. Heretofore it has been necessary to send down divers who would carry on communication by tapping on the hull of the submarine.

The apparatus is somewhat similar to speech amplification outfits used in auditoriums, except that the sound reproducer is much more rugged and is designed to work against hydrostatic instead of atmospheric pressure. It is watertight and is built to withstand rough handling and great pressure in-

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Mrs. Kahn Opposes Reduction of Officers

By REP. FLORENCE P. KAHN
Of California, Member of the House
Committee on Military Affairs

THE current discussion on proposed reductions in the number of officers in the Regular Army of the United States has been of considerable interest to me. My late husband, Hon. Julius Kahn, gave very freely of his time and effort to the enactment of legislation for an adequate military establishment. Necessarily I was in close contact with the problems presented to him. This, together with my own experience as a member of Congress and a member of the House Military Affairs Committee, has given me an insight into the needs of the military establishment that convinces me there should be no material reduction in the number of officers at this time.

Following the World War the Army was reorganized and a standing army was provided for that permitted a flexibility in the number of officers and enlisted men that had not theretofore been permitted. It was the intent of Congress that the annual appropriations should control from year to year. In 1922 Mr. Anthony, then chairman of the Army sub-committee of the House Appropriations Committee, reported a bill fixing the number of officers. At that time a number of officers were dismissed, and others were recommissioned in lower grades. The number of officers was set at 12,000, and each year since that time the same number has been appropriated for, and in the 1931 bill is carried an express provision that an average of 12,000 officers shall form the commissioned personnel of the Army. It is interesting to note that the President endorsed this number as indicated in a letter from Gen. Lord, Director of the Budget, to the Secretary of War, Mr. Good. This letter said:

"May 2, 1929.

"My dear Mr. Secretary:

"The President has instructed me to advise you that the estimates for the War Department for the fiscal year 1931 will be based on an average commissioned officer strength of not to exceed 12,000, and on an average enlisted strength of not to exceed 118,750 men, exclusive of the Philippine Scouts. This contemplates that any additional officers and men required for the development of the Air Corps five-year program will be provided for within these limits.

"Very truly yours,

"H. M. LORD,

"Director."

In my opinion, there should be no deviation from this number. Senator Greene, of Vermont, now acting chairman of the Senate Military Affairs Committee, made a statement in 1922 to which I would like to invite the attention of all persons interested in the Army. Senator Greene was at that time a valued member of the House Committee on Military Affairs, and a recognized leader in the House on military affairs. He said:

"One of the outstanding lessons of the World War was the modern army's need of great numbers of highly trained, experienced, and matured commissioned officers. The wise policy of the people of the United States has been not to maintain a huge standing army in peace time, ready for the battle field at any call, but to keep a comparatively small professional army in time of peace for garrison, police, and training purposes, and to rely upon armies of citizen soldiers in emergency for national defense. This professional army is required to educate, discipline, and train itself for any emergency at any time, and one of its most important missions is to conduct the Organized Reserves, and other civilians and civilian agencies and institutions so that

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Signing of Young Plan Protocol Praised by Newspapers

NEWSPAPER editors throughout the country hail the successful completion of the conference at The Hague last week as an event of great importance to the peace of the world. Various angles of the negotiations come in for comment, some of them regard the signing of the Young Plan as a symbol of the new order in European relations, declaring that the nations have come to realize that by placing this difficult problem upon an economic basis instead of dealing with it as a political problem, the wounds left from the World War can be allowed to heal and better possibilities of permanent peace established.

THE New York Times (Independent Democratic) states: "The festering sore has now been healed. The debates and recriminations are over. The problem has been disposed of. Germany has no Reparation Commission, no foreign Agent-General for Reparations, and very soon will have no foreign armies of occupation, to deal with. She will have a national debt to pay in the form of annuities, but so have the other countries their national debts. Whatever the future may do to all such debts, they will constitute a problem and not a grievance."

"BUT in substance," remarks the San Diego Tribune (Republican): "It is merely a plan for bringing the reparations problem down out of the clouds of controversy and installing it on the level of every-day, working, accepted routine."

"Trade agreements, lowering of economic barriers, consolidations without regard to political frontiers, a new coordination of European industry on a basis of industrialism rather than politics—these are some of the results implied by this changed attitude. They will not follow immediately and completely. Indeed, their beginnings are already in evidence, but their consummation will take time. But the trend has set in a new direction, and a tremendous progress in the direction indicated appears almost inevitable."

"ADOPTION of the Young accord," declares the Rochester Times-Union (Independent), "means substitution of the commercial method for the political in liquidating the World War."

"The signing of the Young protocol is really an occasion for rejoicing, in the United States as well as throughout Europe. It is the final and unalterable termination of the World War's obligations and the bitterness engendered by them. It is the greatest diplomatic step actually concluded since the war. The nations concerned are no longer allies and enemies, but friends. The protocol proves that the great and priceless blessing is peace. It binds all in a common bond, that whatever is the interest of one is the interest of all."

CALLING attention to the lack of public interest in the signing of the protocol, the Providence Journal (Independent) concludes with: "If, therefore, there is not the same degree of popular interest in the signing of the Young plan in its perfected shape that was manifested when the Dawes plan was completed, it is not so much because of a change in the public conviction of what Germany should be compelled to do, as it is a minimization of the necessity for mobilizing public opinion to write a satisfactory economic treaty."

THE St. Paul Pioneer Press (Independent) declares that: "The importance of the arrangement lies in the substitution of an impartial and judicial process for the former political method of passing on Germany's performances in payment of reparations. It insures that in event of interruptions in payment the question will be handled first as an economic one."

"Germany has too great a stake in the smooth working of the Young plan * * * to make wilful default likely even if national good faith were at some time to be violated."

COMMENTING on the accomplishments at The Hague, the Philadelphia Inquirer (Republican) states: "The point to emphasize is that the Conference has performed a difficult task with greater success than might have been expected. Through it a long step forward to European peace has now been taken."

THE Boston Transcript (Independent Republican) declares that: "The fact is coming to be recognized that the world's peace rests quite as distinctly on economic conditions as on politics. * * * The signing of this agreement can not do other than facilitate the economic recovery of Europe. In this sense the Hague agreement may turn out to be more important than the outcome of the London Conference. * * *

"Germany has given up her opposition to the Young plan, and will 'pay her Scot.'"

IN an editorial entitled "Footnote on the Young Plan," the Chicago

(Independent) states: "One of the terms authorizes the allied powers to invade Germany if Germany does not pay on schedule. Here is one more evidence of the wholehearted acceptance of the principle of the Kellogg pact outlawing war. The powers have repudiated the use of armed force as an instrument of national policy except when national policy seems to require the use of armed force. The war may be liquidated, but war is not."

DECLARING that the treaty represents a series of compromises, the St. Joseph, Mo., News-Press (Independent) quotes Philip Snowden as expressing what was done at the conference: "If nobody has had his way, at least the result was generally satisfactory."

"The success at The Hague was made possible through a quite general willingness to renounce nationalistic politics in favor of sound economics and mutual good will."

THE San Francisco Chronicle (Republican) comments as follows: "The same principle that actuated the war debt refunding underlies the Young plan, that is, the ability of the debtor nation to pay. As soon as the rule was brought to bear on reparations the most exasperating problem growing out of the war was assured of a solution."

"The formalities putting the Young plan into operation mark an era in the progress of the world out of its war psychosis. As long as reparations were left in dispute, Europe could not get altogether down to the business of peace. To have the settlement made in a friendly agreement, voluntarily subscribed to by all parties, marks a long step since Germany signed on the dotted line at the point of a sword ten years ago."

Industries' War Role Viewed As Significant

By CAPT. FRED E. HAGEN, QMC
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THE HISTORY of warfare is the story of the constantly enlarged field in which man can project and make effective human will and human force. Gunpowder revolutionized the art and science of battles. Based on the developments of the period 1914-1918 and in developments since, one may readily visualize that if, and when, war comes again there will be an increasing reliance on mechanical forces which will in effect be a maneuvering on the field of combat of chemical laboratories, of blast furnaces, of high industrial establishments. The soldier will in high degree become more and more only the agent whose brain directs forces snatched from the bowels of the earth, from the depths of the sea, and from the mighty regions of the heavens. The final conquest and the ultimate establishment of supremacy will always rest in direct application of man to his task, but even here he will move in the strength of added powers.

The increased use of mechanized power and of mechanical forces extends the range of participation in actual combat. No longer are free from the hardships and terrors of war, the housewife in her home, the student in his laboratory, the farmer in his field, the artisan at his bench, the spinner at his loom. All are enmeshed and share in the life and service and dangers of the soldier at the front.

Just as the single challenger who met a single representative of the challenged army, gave way to combat of masses of men, so these now give way to nations at war.

Congress Sees Change

Congress, as indeed have the legislative chambers of all nations, has sensed this change. So in the National Defense Act of 1920, the Nation's security and existence were not intrusted solely to such preparations and training as could be made in the man power field alone. But machinery was set up to plan for the mobilization of the vast industrial and economic resources of America. Within the land forces were set up, two staffs—a purely military staff and a purely industrial staff. To head the one Congress designated the Chief of Staff, to head the other it defined the duties of, and placed responsibility upon, the Assistant Secre-

tary of War. In their respective fields they proceed in harmony to assure the Nation's will. As their duties are complementary, as their plans for the use of national resources in need must be made with clear appreciation of respective limitations—they are joint agents in the business of furthering our first comprehensive national military policy.

The task now assigned to the Assistant Secretary of War was not visualized prior to 1920. It is pertinent here to note what progress has been made in the prosecution of this task.

The first officers assigned directly to the business of formulating plans for the mobilization of industrial resources in national need found themselves pioneers in unmapped fields. In consequence the first step was naturally taken in the study and appraisal of the agencies and methods employed by the several belligerent nations during the World War as from day to day they faced the new implications of modern warfare. The Assistant Secretary of War had designated as the custodian of the records of the Council of National Defense, the War Industries Board, and related agencies. The records of these constitute a valuable contribution to the literature which is now being gathered—a literature which will supplement that imposing body of literature created by the historians of the past and present as they contemplate the purely military and political side of war. To the industrial story of the World War has been added a creditable literature comprised of later studies and investigations.

System of Training

The second step lay in the beginning of a system of training of officers in the new art and science which were devoted to the mobilization and use of industrial and economic resources. The Army Industrial College was the agency set up to educate officers in industrial strategy and tactics just as the Army War College educated officers in the older and better understood military strategy and tactics. The younger institution follows somewhat the same pedagogical methods employed by the older one. Studies and plans made in each are of interest and concern to the other. Thus far 207 officers have graduated from Industrial College and are at work in the Army in the lines adaptable to their training or are bringing their knowledge to the benefit of yet other regular or reserve officers. Small groups of reserve officers are brought to the office of the Assistant Secretary of War and to the several supply

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Prohibition and the Army

CONSIDERABLE interest was shown by members of Congress and the daily papers in the publication of AR 600-10 which in its revised form (dated October 16, 1929, but just recently made public), contains an admonition calling attention to the National Prohibition Act and telling commanding officers that they are especially charged with the strict enforcement of these laws within their jurisdiction.

Inasmuch as the regulation points out that National Prohibition Act broadens the effect of the act of May 18, 1917 (prohibiting liquor on Army posts), and says that it "serves to extend its broader provisions, prohibitions, and penalties to military personnel in their civil capacity whether on or off military reservations," it is taken to mean that officers or men violating the act whether on or off duty, in uniform or civilian clothes, on the post or in a civilian community, are amenable to both civil and military punishment for violations. It is also construed that such punishment would extend to those on foreign service duty in countries which have no prohibition laws.

Previous regulations, in AR 210-65 and AR 30-1230, prohibited the sale or dealing in intoxicants at post exchanges, canteens or Army Transports or on any premises used for military purposes. The new regulation reads as follows:

"Military reservations.—In accordance with the provisions of Sec. 12 of the act of Congress approved May 18, 1917 (40 Stat. 82), it is unlawful for any person to have in his or her possession any intoxicating or spirituous liquor or beverage at any military station, cantonment, camp, fort, post, or any premises being used for military purposes, except as prescribed for medicinal use by a medical officer or civilian physician under the provisions of paragraph 6, AR 40-505. The act of October 28, 1919, the National Prohibition Act (41 Stat. 305), contains no provisions which lessen the force and effect of the act of May 18, 1917, in the application of the latter statute to military personnel and military reservations, but serves to extend its broader provisions, prohibitions, and penalties to military personnel in their civil capacity whether on or off military reservations."

"A strict compliance with the provisions of the National Prohibition Act, and with the act of May 18, 1917, is enjoined on all military personnel. Commanding officers are especially charged with the strict enforcement of these laws within their jurisdiction, and will take adequate measures to

prevent or detect violations of the statutes on all military premises and for the punishment of offenders."

Representative W. Frank James, chairman of the Military Affairs committee of the House, looked upon the regulation as a routine announcement of the fact that the War Department intends that that law as well as the others must be obeyed by military men. "Just because prohibition is occupying a great deal of the public attention just now the regulation has attracted some attention but it is really nothing out of the ordinary for the Army to call attention to the law and warn the men that it intends to enforce the law of the country."

In connection with prohibition Representative Celler, of New York, in a speech on the floor Jan. 23, entitled "Bottled in Barn Whiskey," remarked, "I was interested the other day in listening to the arguments in favor of a bill to create a joint committee of the House and Senate for the purpose of considering increasing the salaries of members and officers of the Navy and the Army and the Coast Guard and the Lighthouse Service. I was of a mind to move, if the power of amendment were given to me, to strike the words, 'Coast Guard.' I do not want to see the salaries of the Coast Guard men increased. I do not want to make that service so attractive to the young men of the land as to induce them to enter that service, because of the wretched history that the Coast Guard is now going through."

"The term 'Coast Guard' has become anathema to the Nation. It was an honored history. It has an honored career. It was founded for the saving of life. Now it is perpetuated and prolonged for the taking of life."

Representative La Guardia, of New York, declared that Secretary Hurley "better keep the Army out of the prohibition question." The representative stated that there had always been a problem of regulating drinking in the Army. "You cannot expect," he said, "two-fisted men who must fight, not to drink. The problem must be of regulation, not prohibition, and an order such as this merely calls attention to a matter that should be handled with discretion."

Designate Langley Chief

L. T. COL. R. C. KIRTLAND, AC, has been ordered relieved, effective June 30, from his duties in the office of the Chief of Staff and assigned as commandant at Langley Field, vice Lt. J. W. S. Wuest, AC.

Did You Read

the Following Important Service Stories Last Week:

Army—Representative Hoffman Sees Fire Menace at AC Posts; Col. Cole Answers Congressman Collins' Charges against Organized Reserves; Preliminary Meeting on FA School Held; Lists Schools Open to Reserve and National Guard Officers; James Appoints Sub-Committees?

Navy and Marine Corps—will Launch USS Chicago; Naval Academy Band Bill Hearings Held; Machinist Commended; Chief Boatswain Missing; Adm. Wiley Becomes Vice-President of Company; Slidefilm Instruction Given?

If not, you did not read the Army and Navy Journal; you can not get this vital information from any other source.

The Public Supports Us

CHAMBERS of Commerce throughout the country continue to give unqualified endorsement to the movement to revise the pay of active and retired officers and enlisted men of the service.

The following was adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of Columbus, Miss.:

"WHEREAS, That it is generally recognized that the pay of officers and men of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Geodetic Survey, Public Health Service and Nurse Corps, both active and retired, are considerably underpaid as compared with civilians in similar positions of responsibility and so low that it has been impossible for many officers and men to meet the financial requirements of mere necessities, and

"WHEREAS, That after a careful study by a body known as the Interdepartmental Pay Board duly appointed under the direction of the Secretaries of the Treasury, Army, Navy and Commerce, to consider a proposed Joint Service Pay Bill for the entire personnel of the military and naval forces of the United States has resulted in recommendations for new pay tables designed to improve present conditions, and

"WHEREAS, That the Chamber of Commerce of Columbus, Miss., after having carefully considered the recommendations of the Interdepartmental Pay Board believe that said recommendations are meritorious, equitable and just, and the enactment of said proposed measure by Congress will be recognition of faithful service, that it will be the means of preventing a continued flow of resignations from the service, will draw into the service of the different departments of the military forces men of ability, energy, reliability and action, and will be an added stimulus to the service throughout. Therefore, be it

"RESOLVED, By the Columbus Chamber of Commerce, Columbus, Miss., that it is the desire of this Chamber that the recommendations of the aforesaid Interdepartmental Pay Board should promptly be made effective, and

"FURTHER RESOLVED, That the members of this Chamber, as citizens of Mississippi and of the United States, respectfully request that their Senators and Representatives in the Congress of the United States give due consideration to the strong desire of this Chamber that such recommendations should be made law, and

"FURTHER RESOLVED, That we recommend that any increase in compensation granted the active list be made applicable to officers and men on the retired list, based upon the compensation of officers and men on the active list, of like grade and rank, and

"FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the President of the United States, the Secretaries of the Treasury, Army, Navy, and Commerce, the military and naval committees of the Senate and House, Senators and Congressmen from Mississippi and the United States Chamber of Commerce, Washington, D. C."

Resolutions adopted by the National Defense Committee of the New Orleans Association of Commerce and endorsed by the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors of the association:

"Whereas, It is nationally known that the purchasing value of the dollar today as compared with the value in 1908, has been reduced 51 per cent; and

"Whereas, The purchasing power of the total pay of officers, nurses, and

Army Mutual Aid Has Best Year Of Record

MAJ. GEN. IRELAND, The Surgeon General of the Army, opened the annual meeting of the Army Mutual Aid Association at the Army and Navy Club at 4:30 p. m., Tuesday, Jan. 21, by remarking that the fifty-first year of the Association just passed had been the best in its record.

The reports of the Board of Directors, the Secretary and Treasurer showed that there had been a record gross and net gain in the number of memberships, the net increase for the year being 977. With a total of 7,782 memberships in force at the end of the year.

The officers expressed appreciation of the support given to the association by its Advisory Council and members throughout the Service.

There were 42 deaths during the year, three of which were paid from the special reserve maintained by aviators. The other 39 were charged to the regular reserve of the association. The mortality rate per thousand members was 5.32, the lowest in 50 years. This extremely low mortality rate followed the trend of recent years.

The average age of those who joined during the year was 33.59 and that of surviving members 40.79, both of these ages being below those of last year.

Assets of the association, Dec. 31, 1929, including the reserve, were shown to be \$1,900,000.

The widows of all those members who died during the year availed themselves of the Association's offer to assist in the establishment of their Government and other claims. In one case a widow's pension claim was rejected by the Pension Bureau but, upon appeal by the association, the Secretary

of the Interior upheld the claim of the Army Mutual and directed payment of the full amount for which application had been made.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were:

Maj. Gen. Merritte W. Ireland, The Surgeon General, president; **Maj. Gen. Kenzie W. Walker, USA, ret.**, 1st vice president; **Col. Frederick W. Coleman, FD**, 2nd vice president; **Maj. Richard D. LaGarde**, secretary-treasurer.

The Board of Directors includes also the following: **Maj. Gen. Frank McIntyre, USA, Ret.**; **Maj. Gen. James E. Fechet, Lt. Col. John A. Berry, AGD**; **Maj. Ernest A. Dawley, FA.**

This association has had a phenomenal growth during the past ten years, increasing from approximately 2,000 members to nearly 8,000. During the same period the reserve fund has increased from \$500,000 to nearly \$2,000,000.

The association is run on an ordinary life premium basis, the reserve always being so maintained in such proportion that, if no additional members were to join, there would be ample funds to pay all death benefits among present members.

Besides its board of directors, selected from the membership, experienced actuaries are frequently called into service.

Its investments are guided by the counsels of the firm of Scudder, Stevens, and Clark, of New York and Boston.

The association has made several premium reductions during the last ten years, and if its present interest earnings and low mortality continue, it is expected that there will be a marked premium reduction by 1932.

N. M. F. Elects Officers

THE annual meeting of the National Memorial Foundation was held on Jan. 15, at three o'clock at the Hotel Brighton, Washington, D. C. Among those present were Mrs. Burbank, Mrs. Summerall, Mrs. Hero, Mrs. Fiebigler, Mrs. Coe, Mrs. Rumbough, Mrs. Bogert, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Kellogg, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Croft, Mrs. Shunk, Mrs. Lusk, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Faye, Mrs. Wildrick, Miss Williams, Mrs. Ames and Mrs. Armstrong.

The Chairman of the Clothing Committee reported that in her work of collecting clothing for the families of the needy of the services, special attention has been given to the incapacitated veterans discharged from Government hospitals. The Chairman of the Finance Committee reported that the affairs of the society were in a sound and satisfactory condition.

The following officers were elected to serve for the coming year: President, Mrs. James B. Burbank; vice presidents, Mrs. Charles P. Summerall, Mrs. C. McK. Saltzman, Mrs. Eli A. Helmick, and Mrs. Emerson E. Lisum; treasurer, Washington Loan and Trust Co.; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Gustave J. Fiebigler; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Frank W. Coe; recording secretary, Mrs. Claude W. Dudley. The board of managers consists of Mrs. David J. Rumbough, Mrs. E. S. Kellogg, Mrs. George S. Gibbs, Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. Roy T. Morris, Mrs. Andrew J. Hero, Jr., Mrs. Harry C. Barnes, Mrs. Frank C. Freyer, Mrs. James B. Mitchell, Mrs. Edward Croft.

The Journal Salutes

THIS week the Army and Navy Journal salutes:

Maj. Gen. Merritte W. Ireland, The Surgeon General, on his reelection as president of the Army Mutual Aid Association;

Capt. Charles Boone, USN, on his election as president of the United States Naval Reserve Officers' Association;

Col. Alfred A. Starbird, USA, on his well-earned retirement after thirty-two years' distinguished service.

"A Decent Living"

THE following editorial, under the heading, "A Decent Living for Army Officers," appeared in the Birmingham (Ala.) News, January 26:

"The Houston Post-Dispatch notes with considerable anxiety that while admissions to West Point Academy continue at the same rate—since Federal statutes regulate the size of the student body—the number of men resigning their commissions after a time in the Army grows larger. As a consequence the losses from the official personnel is a matter of worry to those in command.

"Reasons for these losses are not far to find. One great reason, of course, is that with the strength of the Army held down to where the organization is a mere shadow of its former self, promotion is extremely slow for young officers. Under conditions as they exist, they are obliged to serve for many years with no advancement in rank or pay. In civilian pursuits, men of equal education and ability with them are moving upward in their business or profession and are winning increased compensation for their services.

"The pay of the Army officer has been virtually stationary since 1908. During that time wages and salaries of civilians have been sharply increased, and in every other branch of the Federal Government the pay has been advanced measurably in nearly every instance save that of the Army. Those employed in these other branches and departments are receiving from 25 to 175 per cent more than they received 22 years ago. At the same time it is estimated that the cost of living has increased in the United States about 104 per cent.

"Men well up in Army command receive smaller salaries than many of the executives in business organizations who are far down in rank. As a matter of justice to Army officers, their compensation should be raised.

"If to the bystander it might seem incongruous, while talk is alive in the world for reducing armies and armament, that salaries of Army officers should be increased, deeper consideration reveals exactly the opposite. If arms and armaments are to be reduced, then this Government of ours cannot neglect to have first-class commanders in charge. If the Academy men see no future ahead of them by reason of a career filled with stintings and denials, then they should be induced to remain with the organization by giving them a decent living."



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Army Notes

REPRESENTATIVE McMILLAN has offered a bill (H. R. 9154) for the construction of a revetment wall 2500 feet long along the north shore of Sullivan's Island, at Ft. Moultrie, to prevent the shore from washing away at that point. Appropriation of \$25,000 is authorized.

West Point (Special)—Col. W. W. Whiteside, QMC, on duty at the Military Academy, has been ordered to the office of The Quartermaster General for duty.

Capt. Harvey Edwards QMC, now on leave in Washington, D. C., has been ordered to duty in the office of The Quartermaster General upon expiration of leave. He has been stationed at Ft. Adams.

Philadelphia (Special)—1st Lt. L. F. Felio, QMC, now on duty in the Hawaiian Department, has been ordered here as assistant to the commanding officer of the Philadelphia quarter-master depot.

Ft. Hayes (Special)—1st Lt. R. C. Benner, CWS, is announced as 5th Corps Area chemical warfare officer, vice Maj. I. A. Titus, CWS, transferred.

Ft. Francis E. Warren (Special)—Brig. Gen. C. R. Rowland, commanding, has added his commendations to those of the mayor and city engineer of Cheyenne for the zeal and self-sacrifice of the commissioned, enlisted and civilian personnel of Ft. Francis E. Warren on the occasion of a recent bursting of the city water main.

Ft. Shafter (Special)—Chaplain A. D. Sutherland, USA, in addition to his other duties, has been detailed as Hawaiian Department chaplain.

Baltimore (Special)—Maj. W. F. Sharp, GSC, is announced as assistant chief of staff, G-3, 3rd Corps Area.

Camp Devens (Special)—Capt. M. B. Birdseye, QMC, recently visited the office of The Quartermaster General to confer on plans for current construction at Camp Devens.

Ft. Shafter (Special)—Relieved in the Hawaiian Department, the following will sail for the United States on Feb. 18, and, after expiration of leaves, take station at the posts indicated:

Cat. M. C. Walton, 11th FA, Schofield Barracks, and Capt. L. E. Boren, 8th FA, Schofield Barracks, to Ft. Sill; Chaplain J. D. Hockman, USA, Ft. Ruger, to Ft. Meade.

Edgewood Arsenal (Special)—Upon completion of his present course at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Capt. J. W. Rice, CWS, will come to this post for duty.

Ft. Benjamin Harrison (Special)—Annual quartermaster inspection was conducted at this post by Col. A. C. Seaman and F. W. Clark, of Ft. Hayes.

Portland, Me. (Special)—Maj. Gen. Preston Brown, commanding the 1st Corps Area, accompanied by Capt. J. C. Crockett, Inf. (DOL), his aide-de-camp, recently came here to inspect units at Portland Harbor.

Ft. Shafter (Special)—1st Lt. F. E. Woodward, AC, has been relieved from the 5th Composite Group at Luke Field and placed on detached service at Hawaiian Department headquarters as assistant to the Department air officer, relieving 1st Lt. J. A. Laird, AC, who replaces him at Luke Field.

Ft. Ethan Allen (Special)—Col. F. V. S. Chamberlain, 13th Inf., Ft. Adams, has been ordered here about Feb. 15, to inspect the 3rd Battalion, 13th Inf.

Col. Sweeney Transferred

Ft. Snelling (Special)—Orders have been published relieving Col. Walter C. Sweeney, commanding the 3rd Infantry here, and detailing him to the General Staff Corps, for duty as chief of staff of the 5th Corps Area, at Ft. Hayes. The transfer is effective June 30.

Army Nominations

THE following executive nominations for promotions in the Army were received by the Senate on Jan. 24, 1930:

To Be Colonels.

C. C. Culver, AC, from Jan. 18, 1930.
F. G. Turner, Cav., from Jan. 21, 1930.

To Be Lieutenant Colonels.

J. C. King, Cav., from Jan. 17.
M. H. Shute, Inf., from Jan. 18.
R. McT. Pennell, FA, from Jan. 21.

To Be Majors.

J. M. Garrett, jr., FA, from Jan. 17.
A. Pendleton, Inf., from Jan. 18.
J. W. Cunningham, Cav., from Jan. 21.

To Be Captains.

L. N. Smith, Cav., from Jan. 10.
C. W. Pence, Inf., from Jan. 10.
J. G. Harris, Inf., from Jan. 12.
H. E. Kelly, Inf., from Jan. 12.
C. B. Mickelwait, Inf., from Jan. 13.
W. B. Sharp, Inf., from Jan. 13.
A. C. Perrin, Ord. Dept., from Jan. 14.

M. E. Jones, Cav., from Jan. 14.
H. P. Hennesy, CAC, from Jan. 17.
W. A. Bigby, Inf., from Jan. 17.
F. E. Gaillard, Inf., from Jan. 18.
R. Robinson, SC, from Jan. 19.
H. O. Lane, Inf., from Jan. 21.
W. R. Mobley, Cav., from Jan. 21.

To Be First Lieutenants.

R. T. Mitchell, Inf., from Dec. 11, 1929.
G. E. Lightcap, Inf., from Dec. 13, 1929.
J. A. Stewart, Inf., from Dec. 13, 1929.
S. H. Fisher, FA, from Dec. 13, 1929.
D. M. Moore, Inf., from Dec. 15, 1929.
H. V. Evans, Inf., from Dec. 16, 1929.
C. N. Bailey, Inf., from Dec. 17, 1929.
V. E. Phasey, Inf., from Dec. 17, 1929.
C. D. Eddleman, Inf., from Dec. 18, 1929.
R. L. Moses, Inf., from Dec. 18, 1929.
J. O'D. Murtaugh, Cav., from Dec. 20, 1929.
S. T. Hames, Inf., from Dec. 21, 1929.
V. R. Miller, Inf., from Dec. 23, 1929.
J. S. Stowell, AC, from Dec. 26, 1929.
A. LeR. Bump, Jr., AC, from Dec. 27, 1929.
R. D. Keiler, Inf., from Dec. 31.
G. E. Elliott, Inf., from Dec. 31.
W. W. Cornog, jr., Inf., from Dec. 31.
D. T. Crow, AC, from Jan. 3.
H. I. Kiel, Inf., from Jan. 4.
D. H. Hundley, Inf., from Jan. 7.
W. W. Lloyd, Inf., from Jan. 10.
J. R. Moon, Inf., from Jan. 10.
T. H. Allen, Inf., from Jan. 10.
R. R. Robins, Inf., from Jan. 12.
P. Sather, jr., FA, from Jan. 12.
R. G. Thomas, jr., Inf., from Jan. 13.
F. F. Carpenter, jr., FA, from Jan. 13.

R. P. Eaton, Inf., from Jan. 14.
H. Dahnke, Inf., from Jan. 14.
R. C. Andrews, Inf., from Jan. 17.
H. F. McG. Matthews, Inf., from Jan. 17.
B. A. Lynch, jr., Inf., from Jan. 17.
N. M. Brinson, Inf., from Jan. 18.
A. J. Dombrowsky, Inf., from Jan. 19.
J. D. Scott, Inf., from Jan. 21.
R. W. Stika, Inf., from Jan. 21.
O. O. Wilson, Inf., from Jan. 22.
Medical Corps—To Be Majors.
F. R. Ostrander, from Jan. 21.
A. T. King, from Jan. 22.

For Pharmacy Corps

SENATOR COPELAND, Democrat, New York, has introduced a bill (S. 3211), to amend the National Defense Act by providing for a Pharmacy Corps in the Medical Department.

Under the bill the pharmacists would be rated as pharmacists and chief pharmacists, and graded as first lieutenants and captains.

This bill is identical in scope with one offered at the last session of Congress, and is believed to have the backing of a national pharmaceutical body.

It has been pointed out, however, that pharmacists could obtain the same advantages under the present organization of the Medical Department. The possibility is afforded them of enlisting in that department and obtaining the highest non-commissioned specialist's rating, or of being commissioned in the Medical Administrative Corps. Under present conditions, it is pointed out, the Medical Department personnel has attained a high record of efficiency in its pharmaceutical work. Another corps is regarded by many in the service as a superfluity.

Award Construction Contracts

THE Quartermaster General has awarded a contract for the construction of six four-family apartment houses, for the accommodation of officers, at Ft. Monroe, the lowest and successful bidder being Davis Brothers, Inc., of Richmond, and the price \$195,000.

The Quartermaster General has also awarded the constructing quartermaster, Wright Field, to award contracts to Morley Brothers Construction Company, Kansas City, Mo., the lowest bidder, in the amount of \$199,490, for the construction of a factory building at Fairfield Air Depot.

Demonet Re-elected

MAJ. CHARLES DEMONET, Ord. Res., was this week re-elected president of the District of Columbia Department, ROA.

Maj. Frederick Livingstone, Inf. Res., and Maj. Lester Wilson, Spe. Res., were named vice presidents; Lt. Col. Samuel Goodacre, FA Res., treasurer, and Lt. Charles Riemer, MI Res., secretary.

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GENERAL STAFF ECONOMY REPORT RETURNED TO WAR DEPT.
MOVEMENTS looking toward a reduction of officer personnel of the Army, with one exception, seem to be awaiting publication of the War Department's economy report to President Hoover. Members of Congress who have inquired at the White House as to the status of the report, drawn up by the General Staff, say that they have been told that it has been sent back to the War Department for revision.

As recorded previously the report as originally drawn up is understood to contain no recommendation for a reduction of personnel but after concluding with its recommendations for methods of achieving economies it concludes with the statement that if further economies are deemed necessary the only other recourse would be reduction. Whether the revision asked for by the President will alter this phase of the report is problematical.

Representative John C. Speaks, Republican, of Ohio, who in his 40 years of National Guard service rose from the rank of private to that of brigadier general, is working on a bill providing for a reduction of about 2,000 officers. At present he does not know what method he will provide in his bill for separations or whether he will leave that to another authority and that phase is holding up the drafting of his bill. He believes that the return from money spent on the National Guard gives greater value in national defense, he says, and "that there are too many regular army officers now performing duty below their dignity."

Representative Ross A. Collins, Democrat, of Mississippi, says that he will make no move for a reduction until the President makes the General Staff's report public or transmits it to Congress.

HIGHER PAY SOUGHT FOR FOREIGN SERVICE CLERKS

THE House Committee on Foreign Affairs reported favorably on January 27 a bill to increase the compensation of clerks in the Foreign Service of the United States. Under the bill senior clerks, class one, would receive \$4,000 a year; with other classes of senior clerks ranging down to \$3,000, while junior clerks would receive \$2,750 in class one, ranging down to less than \$2,500.

It is interesting to recall that the report of the Inter-Departmental Pay Board showed that the average increase of pay range for the Foreign Service from 1908 to 1928 was 175 per cent, while that for the Army and Navy was minus three per cent.

It is also interesting to note, in connection with the pay range of service officers, that the organization of the legal division of the Federal Radio Commission has been completed with the appointment of a general counsel at \$10,000 a year and two assistants at \$7,500 each.

ARMY SUPPLY BILL MAY AWAIT SENATOR REED'S RETURN

IT IS considered highly probable in Congressional circles that consideration of the War Department appropriations bill by the Senate Appropriations Committee will await the return of Senator Reed, chairman of the Military Affairs Committee, from London. While Senator Reed is not a member of the appropriations committee, it is understood that the members of that committee feel that because of his knowledge of and interest in military affairs it would be better to delay the hearings until he can take part.

Of course, if the trend of events at the Naval limitation conference shows that it will be prolonged then the pressure of time will necessitate the consideration of the supply bill without him.

DILL AMENDMENT TO DRAFT PROPERTY

SENATOR DILL, Democrat, of Washington, introduced a joint resolution providing for a constitutional amendment in the Senate January 25, empowering Congress to draft private property as well as men in time of war.

Senator Reed, chairman of the Senate Military Affairs Committee, is author of a joint resolution (S. J. RES. 20) pending on the Senate legislative calendar for a commission to study the feasibility of the plan of drafting capital. When the calendar was recently under consideration, Senator Dill blocked passage of the resolution, saying at the time that it was useless unless the Constitution be amended.

BELGIUM RAISES ITS ARMY BUDGET FORTY PERCENT

DISPATCHES by the Associated Press from Brussels say that, pending solution of disarmament problems, Belgium is prepared to spend this year \$35,500,000 for its army as compared with \$25,000,000 last year. The Army committee of the Belgian Senate reported that this total includes credits for new armored cars and for military planes.

The Artillery branch will be completely reorganized and at least partly motorized.

FROWNS ON NAVY'S PRIVATE HELIUM PURCHASE

IN A DISCUSSION of the Interior Department's annual report on the floor of Congress, Mr. Shreve this week stated that Navy's purchase of helium from private sources has been injurious to the government plant at Amarillo, Tex. Mr. Thatcher took the view that private enterprises had been started with assurance of Navy support, and required such support for their maintenance.

EIGHTEEN GRADUATES AT NAVAL MEDICAL SCHOOL

EXERCISES in connection with the closing of the Fall Term of the Naval Medical School were held yesterday morning. Rear Adm. Charles E. Riggs, Surgeon General of the Navy, and Capt. Charles St. J. Butler, commanding officer of the school, delivered addresses to the graduates.

Lt. Manuel F. Mendes, of the Brazilian Navy, was one of the eighteen who were awarded certificates. Twelve of the graduates are Medical Corps officers, while the other five are dental officers. They are as follows: Lt. (jg) Glenn S. Campbell, MC; Lt. Comdr. Robert H. Collins, MC; Lt. James F. Finnegan, MC; Lt. (jg) John N. C. Gordon, MC; Lt. (jg) Raymond W. Hege, MC; Lt. (jg) Thomas Jackson, Jr., MC; Lt. Walter F. J. Karbach, MC; Lt. (jg) William F. E. Loftin, MC; Lt. Comdr. Wilfred M. Peberdy, MC; Lt. Comdr. John T. Stringer, MC; Lt. (jg) Theophilus F. Weinert, MC; Lt. Arthur J. White, MC; Lt. (jg) Glenn W. Berry, DC; Lt. (jg) Maurice A. Bliss, DC; Lt. (jg) Robert L. LeGendre, DC; Lt. (jg) Arthur L. Logan, DC; Lt. (jg) Macy G. Martin, DC.

GEN. CHEATHAM LIKELY TO SUPERVISE PILGRIMAGE.

BY action of the House Military Affairs Committee this week it is probable that Major Gen. B. F. Cheatham, who on Jan. 3, completed a four-year term as Quartermaster General, will be given charge of the pilgrimage of the Gold Star Mothers whose sons are buried in European cemeteries. Gen. Cheatham took personal charge of arrangements for this pilgrimage, went to Europe in order to thoroughly familiarize himself with what might be required, and is generally considered as being the best man qualified to make the pilgrimages all that is desired. A bill, H. R. 8527, introduced by Mrs. Kahn, of California, was ordered reported with amendments, one of which gives the Secretary of War authority to detail Gen. Cheatham to continue in charge and to receive the full pay and allowances of his grade as a major general while on this active duty. The measure carries authority for the Secretary to detail officers and employ clerical assistance as well.

The committee also ordered favorably reported the bill introduced by Mr. Simmons, of Nebraska, to liberalize the law to permit the mothers of those buried in unknown graves, the "missing," and those buried at sea. The bill was amended to include those who have already made trips at their own expense, and those who acted as a parent for a period of five years at any time before the deceased soldier, sailor or marine reached the age of 18 years. Gen. Cheatham estimated there are 2,000 mothers who have made previous trips. He estimated about 670 buried at sea, about 1,700 unknown and about 1100 missing. This will make eligible approximately 6,000 mothers in addition to the approximately 11,000 already eligible. With an estimated cost of \$840 for each mother it will cost the Government an additional \$5,000,000.

WILL STIMULATE GROWTH OF NAVAL MILITIA

A movement toward the reactivating of the Naval Militia of the United States was started last Sunday at the Army and Navy Club in Washington. Some score of naval reserve officers who also hold commissions in the naval militia of the various states got together between the sessions of the Naval Reserve Officer's Association convention to decide what to do with the old Naval Militia Association which has been dormant for a number of years.

Prior to the World War, naval reserve activities were carried on entirely by the state militia organizations, but since the establishment of the United States Naval Reserve many of the state militias have not functioned though laws providing for them are on the statute books of a number of states.

It was decided to reorganize the militia association which has not had a meeting since the death of its president, Comdr. Thomas T. Nelson, a few years ago. Comdr. Leo W. Hesselman, USNR, was elected president and following a discussion it was agreed to push for the revival of naval militia units, at least for the present, pending final decision along these lines.

The states of New York, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Michigan, New Jersey, and Connecticut now maintain militias, which are to a large extent co-existent with naval reserve units, while in a dozen more they are authorized by law, but receive no funds at present for upkeep.

SURVEY FOR FA SCHOOL COMMENCES

THE board of officers appointed to investigate and report on the question of the permanent location of the Field Artillery School, consisting of Brig. Gen. William Cruikshank, commandant of the school; Brig. Gen. Louis H. Bash, assistant to The Quartermaster General, and Lt. Col. William Bryden, FA, this week commenced their survey of posts where the school might be located. Ft. Bragg was the first post to be visited.

ALIGNMENT OF SENATE COMMITTEES COMPLETED

THE ROSTER of both the Military and Naval Affairs Committee of the Senate were filled this week with the naming of Senators William J. Harris and Ellison D. Smith. Mr. Harris, who goes on the Military Affairs Committee, has been senator from the State of Georgia since 1919. Senator Smith, of South Carolina is one of the veterans of the Senate, there only being four members of that body with longer service than he. His first term began March 4, 1909. Both of the newly named Senators are Democrats.

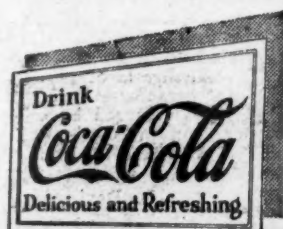
ARMY'S NAVY SAVES NAVY'S SOLDIERS FROM OOZY END

WITH ready hearts and trusty rifles, Capt. Willis McDowell, of the Washington Navy Yard, and Comdr. D. F. Ducey, staff commander of the battle divisions, at dawn of Jan. 30, pushed forth through the churning waters to do battle with the feathered legions quartered along the Potomac, the day ending the duck season. In time, the intrepid hunters realized that they were making no progress—and why. In mid-river their dingy was faced with the problem of pushing through a solid mass of ice particles, a feat of navigation beyond the powers of any such craft.

The Army transport Gen. D. H. Rucker was sighted, hailed, and passed. However, its commander, Capt. W. W. Rowles, had noted the Naval Officers' distress, and, being himself unable to buck the encumbrance that imprisoned them, steamed on and secured help, which rescued the officers just a few notches this side of despair and hardly that much above freezing.

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Navy Nominations

THE following Navy nominations were sent to the Senate Jan. 28 by President Hoover:

Lt. Comdr. P. K. Robottom to be a commander.

Lt. (jg) H. E. Rice, jr., to be a lieutenant.

Lt. (jg) R. T. Zinn to be a lieutenant. Ens. S. J. McKee to be a lieutenant (jg).

Passed Asst. Dental Surg. H. R. Delaney to be a dental surgeon with rank of lieutenant commander.

The following named passed assistant paymasters to be paymasters with rank of lieutenant commander.

C. J. Harter.	P. C. Corning.
W. S. Hullfish.	P. A. Caro.
S. P. Vaughn.	R. Montgomery.
H. F. Gallagher.	W. C. Wallace.
R. O'Hagan.	T. A. Durham.
C. C. Timmons.	G. Rembert.
M. J. Stubbs.	W. Prior.
H. Guilmette.	E. F. Barker.
John Flynn.	W. A. Buck.
V. V. M. Boggs.	T. E. Hipp.
H. Atwood.	R. C. Sanders.
B. R. Peoples.	A. R. Schofield.

The following named electricians to be chief electricians to rank with but after ensign.

S. A. Delvin.	L. M. Larson.
C. P. Metcalf.	F. Myers.

The following named radio electricians to be chief radio electricians to rank with but after ensign: A. J. Berberich, E. J. DeRosier.

Navy Dental Notes

Lt. Comdr. Alfred W. Chandler, of the staff of the Dental School, and **Lt. Henry G. Ralph**, attached to the Naval Hospital, League Island, Pa., have been designated by the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery to assist in dental research problems, instituted by authorities of the American Dental Association, relative to full and partial dentures and to cast inlays. This investigation will be carried on in conjunction with the Bureau of Standards, Washington, D. C.

A professional exhibit and clinic arranged by officers of the Dental Department of the Great Lakes Training Station was presented at the annual midwinter meeting of the Chicago Dental Society, held last week, at Chicago, Ill. This meeting is of great interest to the dental profession of the entire nation and is featured by clinics and papers offered by recognized dental authorities of the United States and Canada.

Dr. Sherman L. Davis, Ph.D., professor of Chemistry at the University of Indiana read a very interesting paper on "Calcium Metabolism" at the Naval Dental School, Washington, D. C., last Wednesday afternoon before the class of medical and dental post-graduate student officers. The paper was discussed in its relation to "The Arrest of Dental Caries" by **Comdr. Harry E. Harvey, DC**, senior dental officer attached to the Naval Hospital at Norfolk, Va.

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ACTING Secretary of the Navy **Jahncke** announced that the ship's bell and one of the saluting guns of the *Mayflower*, former Presidential yacht, have been sent to the Naval Academy as historical relics. Bids already received for the purchase of the ship, he said, have been rejected, but bids may again be invited. **Mr. Jahncke** himself is personally opposed to the sale of the vessel.

Secretary **Adams** estimated the value of the *Mayflower* at \$100,000, but the highest bid received was \$51,000.

Navy Transport Sailings

Chaumont—Arrive Guam Feb. 1; leave Feb. 3, arrive Manila Feb. 8; will leave Manila March 10, arrive Guam March 15; leave March 15, arrive Honolulu March 26; leave March 27, arrive San Francisco April 3. Will leave Mare Is. April 11 for the East Coast of the United States on the following itinerary: Arrive San Francisco April 11; leave April 12, arrive San Pedro April 13; leave April 14, arrive San Diego April 15; leave April 16, arrive Corinto April 23; leave April 23, arrive Canal Zone April 25; leave April 27, arrive Port au Prince April 30; leave May 1, arrive Hampton Roads May 5.

Henderson—Leaves Honolulu Feb. 1, arrive San Francisco Feb. 12. Will proceed to the Navy Yard, Mare Island, for overhaul. Will leave Mare Island March 13 for the Asiatic Station and return to San Francisco on the following itinerary: Arrive San Francisco March 13; leave March 14, arrive Honolulu March 22; leave March 24, arrive Guam April 6; leave April 7, arrive Manila April 13; leave May 17, arrive Guam May 23; leave May 24, arrive Honolulu June 4; leave June 5, arrive San Francisco June 13.

Kittery—Leaves Hampton Roads Feb. 5 for the West Indies on the following itinerary: Arrive Guantanamo Feb. 10; leave Feb. 11, arrive Port au Prince Feb. 12; leave Feb. 13, arrive Cape Haitien Feb. 14; leave Feb. 15, arrive San Juan Feb. 17; leave Feb. 17, arrive St. Thomas Feb. 18; leave Feb. 19, arrive Hampton Roads Feb. 24. Will leave Hampton Roads on March 12 for the West Indies.

Nitro—Leaves New York March 12, arrive Hampton Roads March 13; leave March 17, arrive Philadelphia March 18; leave March 22, arrive New York March 23; leave March 28, arrive Newport March 29; leave March 31, arrive Boston April 1; leave April 3, arrive Indian Head April 7; leave April 11, arrive Yorktown April 12; leave April 14, arrive Hampton Roads April 14; leave April 22, arrive Guantanamo April 26; leave April 26, arrive Canal Zone April 29; leave May 1, arrive Corinto May 3; leave May 3, arrive San Diego May 11; leave May 12, arrive San Pedro May 13; leave May 14, arrive Mare Island May 15; leave May 23, arrive Puget Sound May 26; leave June 2, arrive Mare Island June 5.

Patoka—Arrived Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 27; leave Jan. 29, arrive Boston Feb. 3, for overhaul.

Ramapo—Arrive Manila Feb. 19; leave March 3, arrive San Pedro April 1.

Sapelo—Arrive Guantanamo Feb. 6; leave Feb. 18, arrive Port Arthur Feb. 24; leave Feb. 26, arrive Guantanamo March 4.

Sirius—Arrive Pearl Harbor Feb. 2; leave Feb. 7, arrive Mare Island Feb. 16; leave Feb. 19, arrive Puget Sound Feb. 22; leave March 1, arrive Mare Island March 4; leave March 12, arrive San Pedro March 14; leave March 14, arrive San Diego March 15; leave March 17, arrive Corinto March 27; leave March 27, arrive Canal Zone March 30; leave March 31, arrive Guantanamo April 3; leave April 3, arrive Hampton Roads April 8; leave April 13, arrive New York April 16.

Vega—Will leave Boston March 7, arrive New York March 8; leave March 14, arrive Philadelphia March 15; leave March 19, arrive Hampton Roads March 20; leave March 28, arrive Guantanamo April 1; leave April 2, arrive Canal Zone April 5; leave April 7, arrive Corinto April 10; leave April 10, arrive San Diego April 19; leave April 22, arrive San Pedro April 23; leave April 24, arrive Mare Island April 25; leave May 3, arrive Puget Sound May 6; leave May 13, arrive Mare Island May 16.

Rotation of Duty

DEFINITION of sea and shore duty for purpose of rotation of assignments is contained in a recent Bureau of Navigation circular letter.

Only service on board seagoing ships of the fleets and special services is considered sea service. Exception is made in the case of service on board the *USS Rigel*, which though legally sea duty, is considered shore duty for purposes of rotation of duty.

Service on board all district vessels is considered shore duty, except in the case of certain vessels, designated by name from time to time by the Bureau of Navigation, service on board which is considered sea duty. This designation is based on the amount of cruising done by the various district vessels. At present the district vessels in the sea duty class are as follows: *USS Bagaduce*, *Owl*, *Kewadin*, *Pelican*, *Genesee*, *Sciota*, *Swallow*, *Swan*, *Umpqua*.

For all officers for purposes of rotation of duty, service on shore on the Asiatic Station (except attache and language student study in Peking and Tokyo), in Guam and in Samoa, is considered a cruise. The normal tour of duty in Guam is two years; Samoa, 18 months.

All other service on shore outside the continental limits of the United States is considered shore duty. While duty with a naval mission is considered shore duty, any sea service that may be performed by an officer incident to his assignment to a naval mission is credited to his total sea service.

Owing to the relative shortage of sea billets for officers of the staff corps, a regular alternation between sea and shore cannot be effected. For such officers the following as to length of tour and rotation of duty will apply.

(a) **Medical Corps.**
The normal tour of duty in any one locality within the United States is three years; at sea or on shore beyond the continental limits of the United States (less Samoa), two years, except that the tour of duty with the Public Health Service of Haiti is three years. Officers of the rank of captain and above may serve at a station on shore within the United States not exceeding four years. As a necessity caused by an excess of shore over sea billets, duty on shore outside the United States will generally be substituted for medical officers in place of every alternate tour of sea duty. The normal sequence will be shore-sea-shore-foreign shore. For any individual this sequence may be modified in the effort to give all officers of the same rank the same totals of each character of duty. In no case of an officer below the rank of captain will duty on foreign shore be repeated without the intervention of a tour of sea duty.

(b) **Dental Corps.**
Same as for medical corps with the following exception:
The normal tour of duty at sea for officers of the rank of lieutenant and below is three years.

(c) **Supply Corps.**
Same as for medical corps with the following exception:

The normal tour of duty at sea for officers of the rank of lieutenant and below is three years.

(d) **Chaplain Corps.**

The normal tour of duty at sea for officers of the chaplain corps with the rank of commander and above is two years; for officers of the rank of lieutenant commander and below, three years. For all officers on shore duty outside the continental limits of the United States (less Samoa), the normal tour of duty is two years.

The normal tour of duty in any one locality within the United States for officers of the rank of commander and above is three years; for officers of the rank of lieutenant commander and below, two years. Officers of the rank of captain may serve at station on shore within the United States not exceeding four years.

(e) **Construction Corps.**
The normal tour of duty in any one locality within the United States is four years; at any station beyond the continental limits of the United States (less Samoa), two years, except that the tour of duty with the Department of Public Works, Haiti, is three years. The tour of duty of such naval constructors as shall be ordered to sea is two years.

(f) **Civil Engineer Corps.**
Same as for construction corps.

Naval Reserve Notes

THE Naval Reserve Inspection Board has announced two schedules of inspection which its members will make in February. The first will be as follows: Newark, N. J., Feb. 5; New Rochelle, N. Y., Feb. 6, and Providence, R. I., Feb. 7.

The Board which will make this trip will be composed of **Comdr. C. C. Slayton, USN**, and **Lt. Comdr. W. E. Goodhue, USN**, from the Navy Department.

Capt. T. H. Taylor, USN, attached to Headquarters, 3rd Naval District, New York City, will aid in the inspections at Newark and New Rochelle.

Lt. Comdr. Herbert A. Ellis, USN, attached to Headquarters, 1st Naval District, will aid in the inspection at Providence.

The second schedule is as follows: Burlington, Iowa, Feb. 6; Omaha, Nebr., Feb. 7; Santa Cruz, Calif., Feb. 10; San Jose, Calif., Feb. 11; Oakland, Calif., Feb. 12; San Francisco, Calif., Feb. 13; Santa Barbara, Calif., Feb. 17; San Diego, Calif., Feb. 18; Los Angeles, Calif., Feb. 19; Long Beach, Calif., Feb. 20; Houston, Tex., Feb. 25, and Dallas, Tex., Feb. 26.

The Board that will make this trip will be composed of **Capt. C. A. Blakely, USN** and **Comdr. R. A. White, USN**, from the Navy Department. **Capt. D. W. Bagley, USN**, attached to Headquarters, 9th Naval District, Great Lakes, Ill., will aid in the inspections at Burlington and Omaha.

Comdr. F. L. Reichmuth, USN, attached to Headquarters, 12th Naval District, San Francisco, will aid in the inspections at Santa Cruz, San Jose, Oakland and San Francisco.

Comdr. G. H. Bowdye, USN, attached to Headquarters, 11th Naval District, San Diego, will aid in the inspections at Santa Barbara, San Diego, Los Angeles and Long Beach.

Lt. (jg) H. W. Lindsay, USN, attached to Headquarters, 8th Naval District, New Orleans, La., will aid in the inspections at Houston and Dallas.

Some interesting comments have been received from the Commanding Officer, U. S. Naval Reserve Aviation Base, Great Lakes, Ill., on flying conditions during the extremely cold weather recently prevalent in that section. Special cowling was installed on the J-5 engines in order to operate them in zero or sub-zero temperatures. A test, approximately one-half hour in duration, was made with this cowling installed. At 3,000 feet, the thermometer which was mounted on the forward flying wires of an NY-2 plane, registered 10 degrees below zero, which was probably a few degrees above the temperature of the air, due to the heat coming back from the engine. The oil temperature dropped to 27 degrees C. and the motor did not function well unless the throttle was practically wide open. In fact, the pilot stated that a gradual descent was made at 1650 revolutions from 3,500 feet. He reported that his right goggle lens became coated with vapor which froze and completely covered its surface. In addition to the cowling to protect the engine, the oil lines were protected with coverings of asbestos and the oil tank with a layer of felt. An open cockpit civilian plane was flown from Cleveland, Ohio, to the Chicago Municipal Air Port during this period. The pilot's face was badly frozen, his hand was frozen to the control stick and his condition was such that he had to be assisted from the plane.

NAVAL INSTITUTE PROCEEDINGS

The February issue of the Naval Institute Proceedings will contain the following articles: *The Battle at Blant Mont (Part 2)*, by **Lt. Col. Ernst Otto, German Army, Retired**; *The Nicaraguan Policy of the United States*, by **Lt. Ray D. Tarbuck, USN**; *Ship Portraits*, by **Antoine Roux and Sons**, by **Comdr. L. J. Gulliver, USN**; *The College, The Technical School and the Naval Academy*, by **Comdr. H. E. Rosell (C. C.)**, **USN**; *Sealubbers*, by **Lt. A. R. McCracken, USN**, and *A Method of Calibrating Range Finders at Sea*, by **Comdr. R. C. Parker, USN**.

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Mackay Trophy Awarded

UPON the recommendation of a Board of Air Corps officers, Capt. Albert W. Stevens, Air Corps, has been designated by the War Department to receive the Mackay Trophy. As no competition for the trophy was provided for in 1929, the board recommended the award on the basis of the most meritorious flight.

"Any one of the three major flights of Capt. Stevens was very meritorious," said the president of the board, Brig. Gen. William E. Gillmore, Chief of the Training and Operations Division of the Air Corps. "The board is of the opinion that the flights of Capt. Stevens during 1929 should be considered in the light of a combined achievement, with a material contribution to the Air Corps in particular and to aviation in general."

Capt. Stevens has long made a study of high altitude flying and aerial photography, including their combination into high altitude and long range photography.

On Feb. 27, 1929, with Lt. Harry Johnson, as pilot, Capt. Stevens ascended to an altitude of 35,611 feet, a record at that time for a biplace airplane. Freed of the responsibility of having to pilot the plane, Capt. Stevens was thereby enabled to make complete and accurate notes of the engineering and meteorological features of the flight, his data proving of great value to the Engineering Division of the Air Corps.

On March 3, 1929, Capt. Stevens in a standard observation plane piloted by Lt. John D. Corkille made night photographs of the Capitol and the White House at Washington, D. C. Undaunted by several mishaps earlier in the evening the pair of flyers kept at their work until at 10:45 p. m., with successful results. The negatives were dropped immediately after exposure, picked up by Air Corps officers and telephotoed to all points of the country.

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Aeronautical Notes

Dayton, Ohio (Special)—Considerable importance is attached by Boeing Airplane Company to the performance of Model 100, which, after flights by Army and Navy officers, has been taken for further Army tests. Model 100 turned up a high speed of 209 m.p.h. and can outperform Boeing P-12, Army and Navy pursuit ship, which has climbed to 31,700 feet and which has gone from the ground to 10,000 feet and back in four and one-half minutes.

The 95th Squadron at San Diego plans to use P-12's in tactical maneuvers at an altitude of 25,000 feet.

Jack Harding, round-the-world Army flier, now liaison engineer with the Boeing Airplane Company, will accompany the fleet on the annual winter cruise to observe performance of the Boeing pursuits aboard the cruisers.

Ed Allen, former Army test pilot, has temporarily joined the Boeing Airplane Company in connection with testing of new Army and Navy fighters which are under experimental development.

A bill (H. R. 8805) offered by Mr. Hill of Alabama authorizes the Secretary of War to acquire by donation 75 acres of land as an addition to Maxwell Field.

The donor in question is the City of Montgomery.

when on a 14,000-mile aerial photographic tour of the northwest he made a photograph of Mt. Rainier from a distance of 227 miles. Piloted again by Lt. Corkille the Army's expert photographer spent the summer in taking some of the most beautiful scenic photographs ever made.

The military possibilities of being able to photograph points so far behind the enemy's lines are apparent.

Capt. Stevens is stationed at Wright Field, Ohio, where he is chief of the Aerial Photographic Unit of the Materiel Division. He was born in Maine, March 13, 1886, where he received the degrees of B. S. and M. S. at the University of Maine. His home is at Grimes Pass, Boise County, Idaho.

Army Transport Sailings

ST. MIHIEL, scheduled to arrive San Francisco February 3; leave February 7, arrive Honolulu February 13; leave February 18, arrive San Francisco February 24; leave March 1, arrive Corinto March 9; leave March 9, arrive Panama March 11; leave March 12, arrive New York March 18.

Cambrai, scheduled to arrive Corinto February 6; leave February 6, arrive Panama February 8; leave February 9, arrive New York February 15; leave New York February 21, arrive Panama February 27; leave Panama February 28, arrive Corinto March 2; leave March 2, arrive San Francisco March 10.

Ch. Thierry, scheduled to leave San Francisco February 1, arrive Corinto February 9; leave February 9, arrive Panama February 11; leave February 12, arrive in New York February 18; leave New York March 23, arrive Panama April 3.

Grant, scheduled to leave San Francisco February 8, arrive Honolulu February 14; leave February 15, arrive Guam February 25; leave February 25, arrive Manila March 3; leave March 11, arrive Chinwangtao March 16; leave March 17, arrive Nagasaki March 20; leave March 20, arrive Honolulu March 31; leave April 2, arrive San Francisco April 8; leave April 12, arrive Corinto April 20; leave April 20, arrive Panama April 22; leave April 23, arrive New York April 27.

(Anyone desiring further information concerning sailing dates of Army transports should address the query to the Transport Editor.)

Establish Jungle Camps

THE Army Engineer Battalion in Nicaragua has, after many struggles, set up veritable cities in the Central American jungle. At Ochoa on the Rio San Juan they have built Camp Hoover, where electric lights for the first time penetrated the Nicaraguan wilderness. At Machuca, also on the San Juan, is Camp Edge, on the Rio San Francisco, Camp Jadwin, and on the Chanshos, Camp Williamson. At Greytown, the eastern extremity of the canal route, where the old Maritime Canal Company worked for a time, Camp Hurley has been established, and at Brito, the western extremity, Camp Lytle Brown. The seventh post, Camp Graves, is located on Lake Nicaragua at the head of the San Juan.

Before actual work on the canal survey proper could be begun these camps had to be built and all the problems of camp sanitation had to be solved. Each camp has purified and running water, some have electric light systems and three, Camps Hoover, Hurley and Graves, have radio communication with headquarters at Granada. All of these facilities were set up by the battalion and are now maintained by it in order to facilitate the survey.

That the hard working engineer, after his day of building camps or fighting swamps and jungle to get his line through, seeks rest and relaxation when he returns, is evidenced by a message received from Lt. Kerynap Rice, in command of the camp near Greytown, which made the following request on the post exchange officer at Granada, the headquarters of the expedition:

"Send by the next boat two Victrolas and 50 records of varied, soft, agreeable, pleasing, cheerful, melodious and harmonious strains. Any harsh, squeaky, offensive record will be returned."

Convert NG Unit

MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM G. EVERSON, Chief of the Militia Bureau, has authorized the Adjutant General of North Carolina, Brig. Gen. J. Van B. Metts, to convert the 117th Motor Transport Company, 30th Division Quartermaster Train, stationed at Whiteville, N. C., to Service Battery (less Band Section), 252nd Coast Artillery (155-mm Tractor Drawn) and to organize the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Battalion Headquarters Batteries and Combat Trains of the regiment at stations to be designated later.

With these changes the allotted strength of the North Carolina National Guard is fixed at 276 commissioned officers, 5 warrant officers and 3,219 enlisted men, or an aggregate of 3,500.

Report Pension Bill

INCREASED pensions for personnel of the Regular Army, Navy and Marine Corps and their dependents for disability incurred in line of duty were recommended by the Senate Committee on Pensions in their report on S. 958, submitted to the Senate this week.

Section 1 of the bill provides a rate of \$50.00 per month to all persons who are totally disabled for the performance of manual labor by reason of a disability incurred in service or disease contracted in service in line of duty. The present rate under the general law allows \$30.00 per month for total disability.

Recent legislation provides for increased pensions for veterans of the war with Spain and of Indian wars, regardless of origin in service in line of duty. The report of the committee stated that it believed as a matter of justice that this should be extended to apply to members of the regular military and naval establishment, who incurred a disability in line of service during a peace-time period.

Further increases are provided for those who require aid and attendance; \$80.00 per month being allowed for periodical care, and \$90.00 per month for those requiring regular aid. Those whose disability is equivalent to the loss of a hand or foot, would receive \$36.00 per month while the rate of \$30.00 per month is established for disabilities not otherwise provided for.

The rate of pension for any widow whose name is or may hereafter be placed on, a pension roll by reason of the death of the husband in line of duty, shall be \$30.00 per month. For a dependent father or mother the rate shall be \$20.00 per month, and for each dependent child under 16 years of age shall be \$6.00 per month.

Section 3 of the bill would make the record of the War or Navy Department of the disability sufficient proof of origin in line of duty. This would change the present practice of the Bureau of Pensions which excludes disabilities incurred while on leave or otherwise away from command.

S. 958 is somewhat similar to S. 2505, which passed the Senate last Congress, but which failed to be acted upon the House.

Public Supports Pay

RESOLUTIONS favoring increased pay for active and retired officers and men of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps have been adopted by two additional Chambers of Commerce, the Chamber of Commerce of Mobile, Ala., and the Salt Lake City Chamber of Commerce.

"Arctic" Pilot in Crash

Beach, N. D. (Special)—An almost miraculous escape from death was the experience of Lt. E. K. Warburton, AC, when he crashed in a snowstorm near a farm house here and demolished all but the tail parts of his plane. These were salvaged and utilized by Maj. Ralph Royce, AC, another member of the "Arctic patrol" returning to Selfridge Field from Spokane, which was damaged landing in the blizzard. Lt. Warburton suffered several cuts.

On the same day Montana was the scene of much aerial activity. The Ford transport plane picked up new motor at Great Falls, flew with it to the Hosey Ranch, where Lt. M. L. Elliott's plane was forced down, and there, in the biting cold and on a bleak hillside, installed the new motor. That evening the transport and the pursuit plane with a new motor flew back to Great Falls. This was one of the greatest bits of work on the trip.

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Congressmen, and that furthermore, a copy be furnished the United States Chamber of Commerce.

The Mobile, Ala., Chamber's resolution follows:

"Whereas: An Interdepartmental Board duly appointed by the Secretaries of Treasury, War, Navy and Commerce, has recommended an increase in compensation paid officers and men, both active and retired, of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Public Health and Geodetic Survey, and

"Whereas: The present salaries paid the Personnel of the above branches of the Service are much lower than the salaries and wages paid the people of this country employed in civil pursuits for equal services performed, and

"Whereas: In order to retain the services of officers and enlisted men of ability and qualifications, it is essential that they be compensated in accordance with their worth and with regard to American standard of living,

"Be It Resolved, that the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of Mobile, Ala., has here gone on record as favoring an increase in compensation paid officers and men, both active and retired, of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Public Health and Geodetic Survey, recommended by the Interdepartmental Board as an act of fairness and justice for their long record of loyal, faithful, efficient and honorable public service in all of their activities in the interests of the American people and that it urges its representatives in both branches of the Congress of the United States to do all within their power to have legislation enacted during the 71st Congress to bring about an increased compensation for the Officers and Enlisted men of the above named services,

"Be It Further Resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the President, the Senate and House Military and Naval Committees, the Senators and Representatives from this State and to the United States Chamber of Commerce at Washington, D. C."

The resolution of the Salt Lake Chamber follows:

"Whereas, the pay schedules for the officers and men of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, United States Public Health and Geodetic Survey recommended by the Interdepartmental Pay Board as a remedial measure are, in the judgment of the Salt Lake Chamber of Commerce and Commercial Club, meritorious, equitable and just and are but a recognition of the faithful service performed by those in these branches of the Federal Government; and

"Whereas, due and proper consideration has been given said recommendations by the Board of Governors of said Salt Lake Chamber of Commerce and Commercial Club, and said Board desires to make a record of its approval thereof;

"Be It Resolved that the Board of Governors of Salt Lake Chamber of Commerce and Commercial Club recommends and advises that the principles set forth in the report of the Interdepartmental Pay Board be embodied in proper legislation, with the further recommendation that increases in compensation granted those on the active lists of military and naval service be applicable also on a proper basis to officers, warrant officers, nurses and enlisted men on the retired list.

"Resolved Further that copies of this resolution be transmitted to the proper officials of the United States Government; the Senators and Representatives of the State of Utah in Congress and also to the United States Chamber of Commerce."

ARMY MUTUAL AID

New Insurance Certificate Issued: Capt. Isaac G. Walker, jr., Cav.; Capt. Frank M. Smith, Inf.; Capt. Frank E. Barber, Inf.; Maj. John H. Jouett, AC; Capt. Fred B. Rogers, Inf.; Capt. Robert E. Hannay, jr., JAGD; 1st Lt. Kenneth L. Johnson, FA; Maj. Aubrey K. Brown, MC; 2nd Lt. Grant A. Williams, Cav.; 1st Lt. Ray B. Floyd, Inf.; 2nd Lt. Carroll H. Prunty, Inf.; Maj. Henry L. Flynn, Cav.; Capt. Harold R. Priest, Inf.; Maj. William D. Frazer, CAC, and Cadets Franklin F. Wing, jr., and Francis M. Thuney.

Benefits Paid: Maj. Frank O. Whitlock, rtd.; Brig. Gen. John T. Knight, rtd., and Lt. Col. DeWitt C. T. Grubbs, OD.

Set Date for Dinner

New York (Special).—The West Point Society of New York, under whose auspices the annual West Point Dinner will be held, has arranged with the Hotel Astor for the use of the grand ballroom for this purpose on Saturday, March 15, 1930. Information to this effect will be sent to the Philippine Islands, Hawaii, Panama, and the various stations and posts in the United States where dinners are usually given in order that they may be held the same evening.

Last year there was some confusion in dates due to the fact that the ballroom at the Astor, with its great painted scenes representing, on one end, the famous view up the Hudson and on the other, the Barracks Buildings, could not be procured on the nearest Saturday to the date of the founding of the Military Academy, March 16. Some confusion resulted which will not occur this year, and as usual, these meetings all over the world, will be enlivened by exchanges of messages and greetings.

Tampa Club Elects

Tampa, Fla. (Special).—Officers of the Army and Navy Club for 1930 elected at the December meeting of the Board of Governors are Maj. Philip G. Murphy, president; Capt. George B. Howell, Maj. Cody Fowler and Col. H. C. Culbreath, first, second and third vice presidents, respectively; Maj. J. C. Williams, secretary, and Mr. Roger W. Clapp, treasurer. Other members of the Board of Governors are Col. H. W. Hesterly, Capt. Carl D. Brorein, Capt. Jerome A. Waterman and Capt. O. N. Bie.

The Army and Navy Club of Tampa entertained at dinner Jan. 8, preceded by a reception in the club's quarters at the Floridan Hotel. There were present at dinner, Col. and Mrs. Reynolds J. Burt, of Washington; Maj. and Mrs. J. C. Williams, Maj. and Mrs. Philip G. Murphy, Capt. and Mrs. S. M. Regar, Lt. and Mrs. D. N. Hauseman, of Birmingham; Miss Davis, of Columbus, Ga.; Col. George F. Baltzell, of Jacksonville; Lt. Col. Homer W. Hesterly, W. J. Lancaster, J. W. Crum, T. B. Forsburg, of Dade City; Maj. John E. Mort, Capt. Miron J. Rockwell, Jerome A. Waterman, Carl D. Brorein, F. N. Theriot, Lts. Terence King, S. J., H. R. Fleurin, S. J., W. W. Lesniak, T. W. Ramsey and Mr. John B. Sutton.

Later, Col. Burt, Chief of the Organizations and Instruction Section of the Office of the Chief of the Militia Bureau and Col. Baltzell, Senior Instructor-Inspector of the Organized Reserves for Florida addressed a joint meeting of the Army and Navy Club and the Tampa Chapter Reserve Officers' Association.

More Historic Lectures

Ft. Benning (Special).—Military monographs read this week by members of the advanced class of the Infantry School were:

Capt. J. P. Horan, Second Battle of Bull Run; Capt. E. E. Aldridge, Battle of Antietam; Capt. Frank Lockhead, Battle of Fredericksburg; Capt. Ralph Hall, Stone's River Campaign.

Capt. G. A. Hadd, Battle of Chancellorsville; Capt. G. E. McCullough, Vicksburg Campaign; Capt. H. C. Brown, Battle of Gettysburg; Capt. G. F. Bloomquist, Battles around Chattanooga.

Capt. Carleton Coulter, jr., Wilderness Campaign; Capt. A. W. Jones, Campaign of Atlanta; Capt. W. T. Scott, Campaign of Franklin and Nashville; Capt. D. C. Pillsbury, Siege of Petersburg and Lee's Surrender.

Capt. A. H. Rogers, the Indian Wars; Maj. P. D. Dulay, Spanish American War; Capt. W. E. Alger, Campaign in the Philippines; Capt. W. C. Rogers, Philippine Insurrection and Capture of Aguinaldo.

Maj. H. I. T. Creswell, Battle of the Yalu; Capt. W. B. Tuttle, Battle of Liao Yang; Capt. C. T. Phillips, Operations of all except the British Forces on the Western Front; Maj. M. L. Miller, Operations of the British Expeditionary Forces.

Maj. W. H. Scobey, First Battle of the Marne; Capt. W. C. DeWare, Battle of the Ourcq; Capt. P. B. Rogers, Tannenberg Campaign; Maj. J. R. Brooke, jr., Battle of Neuve Chappelle.

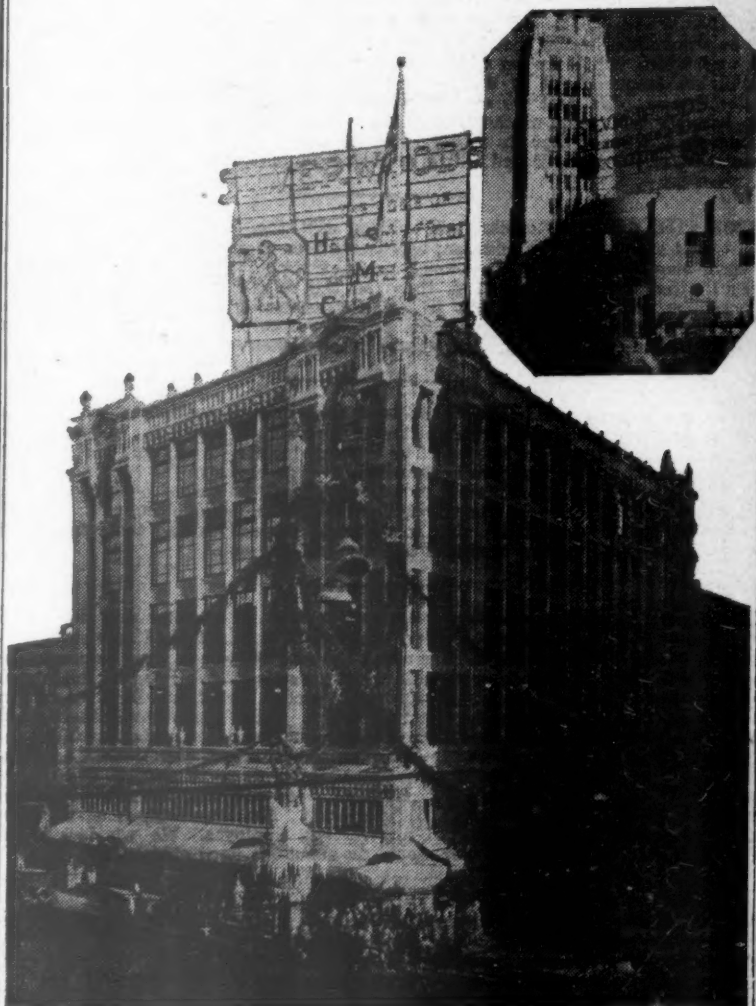
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"The officer can not educate his children in the way they should be educated and he is beset by financial worries * * * that prevent him from giving his full attention to his profession."—TESTIMONY BEFORE SPECIAL PAY COMMITTEE, 1921.

THE FIRST PAY HURDLE in Congress has been jumped. In creating the Commission to investigate the wage scale of the several departments, the legislative branch has complied with the wishes of the Services. Now it is for the Services to convince the Commission that the inadequacy, inequalities and injustices complained of, in fact exist.

IT IS WELL FOR US TO KNOW they exist. But this knowledge must be transmitted to the members of the Commission. It must be transmitted in a way which will leave no doubt in their mind. The truth, of course, will be told, but frequently it is the manner and method of telling that makes for effectiveness. We feel we can rely upon Rear Admiral McNamee, especially, to buttress the report of the Interdepartmental Board and to prove beyond the shadow of a doubt that its recommendations ought to be accepted. The Army members of the same Board will give strong support to his testimony.

FOR THE RETIRED officers and enlisted men, too, the members of the Board will speak. But in addition, representatives of these members of the personnel should be heard. In Colonel Marix, retired Marine officer, President of the Retired Officers Association, those on the retired list have a strong, able spokesman, thoroughly familiar with the situation of retired officers and their inability to meet both ends with the pay they receive. The enlisted men, too, besides relying upon the officers, should present their case.

WE URGE THE WITNESSES not to neglect in their testimony the personal, human interest stories which, after all, present the truth far better and far more effectively than cold figures. The letters which the Army and Navy Journal has published, and which were responsible in large measure for the public sentiment that caused the Commission to be created, will be turned over to the Commission; but if the men who testify will present their personal budgets, show the difficulties under which they labor to maintain themselves and their families in ordinary decency, we are confident the case will be won.

HERE IS A NICE prohibition question. In view of the law and the regulations issued by Secretary Hurley, can an officer on detached service, occupying an apartment for which he is granted a rental allowance, have liquor in that apartment, without subjecting himself to courtmartial? We imagine the lawyers will say that he cannot legally possess such goods. The State Department provides buildings for Ambassadors and Ministers. Some are owned, others leased by the Government. Has the State Department issued an order, such as that put out by the Secretary of War? There are thousands of Government employees. They live on pay from the Government. Have their respective departments emulated the example of the War Secretary? We know they haven't. Well, what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander. Mr. President, issue a blanket order, applying prohibition to all government employees. We wonder, in this event, what the rural postmaster would do about his hard cider!

WOODROW WILSON proclaimed as the first of the peace terms for the termination of the World War "open covenants openly arrived at." This declaration was enthusiastically hailed by a war weary world. No more secret diplomacy, which kept the people in ignorance until the agreement had been signed! Everything was to be open and above board, every argument broadcasted, every proposal discussed so that the world would know its whys and wherefores.

What is happening in London? One of the most important conferences ever held is in progress there. A couple of innocuous public meetings have been held, and these, with their "hot air," have been reported in the press and broadcasted. Secret meetings have been the rule. What is proposed, what counter proposals have been made, what the arguments are for or against, these the world and especially the American people know nothing about. We are being kept purposely in ignorance, and the only reason therefor is an unwillingness to let us know the extent to which our vital interests are being made a matter of barter.

NOR DO WE BELIEVE the American people would look with favor upon our participation in European politics, which is in fact the case. One of the great factors in the negotiations is the Mediterranean situation. Great Britain says she must have a two to one preponderance over the Mediterranean powers—France and Italy. But is this not in fact arranging for a two to one preponderance or at least a real preponderance over the United States; for we never have heard that the entente which Great Britain and France effected a couple of years ago has been abrogated. Then, too, Italy says she must have equality with France, which the French want to deny. We have no doubt Secretary Stimson and his colleagues are running around, talking about the Mediterranean and make suggestions, all of which tend to embroil the United States and to involve us in those Old World entanglements, which the wise Washington besought us to avoid.

BUT THE AMERICAN people ought to know the facts. We have read the newspaper dispatches diligently. We have studied the official statements that have been issued. We are told in a general way that the United States is willing to accept the French Global tonnage idea, and that the American Delegation will not consent to scrapping battleships. We have gleaned that our Delegation is willing to stop battleship construction, which means, of course, continued British superiority with their Nelson and Rodney. Nothing has appeared which throws a search light upon the irreducible minima of the several Powers. Let us have that. Let us have the facts. The American people are intelligent. Their reaction will be sound. Then why keep them in the dark?

Service Humor

Wouldn't Spoof Destiny

The doctor had been visiting Mr. Maloney and as Mrs. Maloney was showing him out he said to her, "Your husband is not so well today. Is he sticking to the simple diet I prescribed?"

"He is not, doctor," came the reply. "He says he'll not be starving himself to death just for the sake of living a few days longer."—Contributed.

A Lay Figure

Mother (giving arithmetic lesson): Now, take the Smith family; there's mama, papa and the baby. How many does that make?

Small son: Two and one to carry.
—USS Wyoming Fighting Top.

Robust Critters

"But, it isn't sanitary," said the traveler to a native backwoodsman who had built his hog pen right up against the house.

"Waal, I dunno, stranger," said the hill billy, "we haint lost a hog in 15 years."—Contributed.

Left Her No Come-Back

USMA: "She said if any man kissed her without warning, she would scream for her father."

Cadet: "What did you do?"

USMA: "I warned her."

Dandruff Bad Enough

Dean of Women: Young lady, don't you remember anything that you learned at your mother's knee?

Co-ed: Oh, yes, that if I stayed there long enough I would get my hair full of cigarette ashes.—Fo'c's'le Banter.

A Roundabout Answer

Top: What's a parasite?"

Buck: One who goes through a revolving door one someone else's push."

Not Ex-pens-ive

Teacher: "Now, children, who can tell me how much a pence is worth in American money?"

Jakey: "Vell, teacher, you can get a good pair for three dollars at my fadder's."

Resourceful

"What's all the row over at Bandsman Slonk's place?"

"One of the kids swallowed the corkscrew."

"Goodness, haven't they sent for the doctor?"

"Naw, they're tryin' to dig the cork out with the icepick."

Judge, o ye Gods, Judge

Lt.: Has anyone commented on the way you drive?

JG: Yes, one man made the brief remark "Twenty dollars and costs."

Atrophy

Marine: My old bunkie has lost his power of speech, boys.

Leatherneck: What's t'he matter? Throat trouble?

Marine: No, marriage.

But Can the Roughhouse

Pvt. McTish was a heavy sleeper. His corporal always had a hard time getting him up for reveille. One night the thunder rolled and the lightning flashed. A bolt struck McTish and knocked him out of bed. He rose, yawned, rubbed his eyes and mumbled "Alright, I'll get up."—Ft. Snelling Bulletin.

No Reciprocity, No Go.

"Well of all the nerve," she said, slapping his face, "don't you dare kiss me again."

"All right. If that's the way you feel about it, get off my lap."

—Contributed.

Seven Come

Nix! Don't wait for the ELEVENTH hour! Dispatch those nifties forthwith.

WHEN YOU ARE TRANSFERRED

ASK the Journal about living conditions, etc., at the Post to which you have been directed to proceed. Questions will be answered as soon as possible either in this column or by letters. Address Post Editor.

R. A. D.: Camp John Hay, P. I., is near Baguio, with reasonable taxi service from post to town. A private car is practically a necessity at Camp John Hay because of the hilly nature of the Post. A post school for primary grades and the Brent (Episcopal) School at Baguio are used. Filipino servants are obtainable at the following monthly rates: House boy, \$7.50; amah, \$9; lavandero, \$7.50, and cook, \$22.50. Baguio market has all fresh vegetables. There is a post commissary. Camp John Hay is a recreational and recuperating post, and can accommodate 200 adults conveniently. Other quarters are available at Baguio Country Club and the Pines and other hotels. All roads are year-round, are kept in good condition and are either paved or gravel. Concrete tennis courts, and two good 18-hole golf courses at the post and at Baguio Country Club afford recreation. Ideal weather, never hot or cold, and the elevation of 5,000 feet are always pleasant. Afternoon and evening rains come from June 1 to Sept. 30. Wool or cotton may be worn. The Infantry, Quartermaster, and Signal Corps garrison the post. No chaplains are at the camp.

ASK THE JOURNAL

ALL questions on which our readers desire information will be answered as soon as possible after receipt. If there is any query you have in mind, send it to the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL QUESTION EDITOR. It will save you time and trouble. Avail yourselves of this "Service to the Services."

A. W.—The Pennsylvania National Guard in 1887 consisted of three brigades, comprising 132 companies, Inf., two lighter batteries of Artillery and two companies of Cavalry. Maj. Gen. J. T. Hartman was divisional commander, Brig. Gen. P. N. Guthrie, adjutant general, and Brig. Gens. G. R. Snowden, J. A. Beaver, and J. P. S. Gobin, commanders of the three brigades.

IN THE JOURNAL 60 YEARS AGO

A petition to Congress, signed by 1300 officers of the Army asking for an increase of pay has been submitted to the Committee on Military Affairs of the House. The petition points out that the present pay of the Army is less now than in 1859.

The Navy Department has announced the death of Chaplain George Jones, who was in charge of zodiacal lights at the Naval Asylum in Philadelphia.

The Pay Department of the Army has issued an order instructing paymasters not to deduct the income tax from the salaries of the officers of the Army, as under the opinion of the Judge Advocate General, no such tax is operative now on incomes derived during 1879.

The USS Nipsic, the flagship of the expedition to the Isthmus of Darien to survey possible routes for a canal across the isthmus, was run into, in the New York harbor, by a steamer and badly damaged. The expedition will not leave until the Nipsic is repaired.

Navy Dept.
Marine CorpsCoast Guard
Naval Reserves

- OFFICIAL ORDERS -

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Corps AreasNational Guard
Officers' Reserve Corps

ARMY ORDERS

GENERAL OFFICER

Brig. Gen. H. O. Williams, USA, from detail as member of board of offrs., appointed in par. 21, S. O. 252, W. D., Oct. 23, 1926, as amended to meet in Wash., D. C., to determine the cause of classification of officers placed in class B; also from detail as member of board of offrs., appointed by par. 7, S. O. 271, W. D., Nov. 14, 1927, as amended, for recommending individuals who should be awarded decorations. (Jan. 24.)

GENERAL STAFF CORPS

GEN. C. P. SUMMERALL, C OF S
Maj. J. B. Brooks (AC) from detail as member of GSC from assignment to W. D. G. S., Feb. 23, from further duty in off. of C of S to N. Y. C. and sail May 7, for Philippine Dept. for duty with AC. (Jan. 25.)

Lt. Col. W. B. Wallace, (Inf.) from detail to GSC, from assignment to WDGS, Apr. 2, from further duty in off. of C of S, June 30, assigned to 11th Inf., Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind. (Jan. 25.)

Maj. F. B. Mallon (Inf.) from detail as member of GSC, from assignment to WDGS, from further duty in off. of C of S, June 30, assigned to 38th Inf., Ft. Sill, Okla. (Jan. 27.)

QUARTERMASTER CORPS

MAJ. GEN. J. L. DEWITT, THE QMG
Capt. E. E. Hagan to duty as asst. gen. supt. ATS, Manila, P. I. (Jan. 24.)

Capt. E. L. Edwards from duty at Ft. Adams, E. I., on expiration of leave, to office of QMG, Wash., D. C., for duty. (Jan. 25.)

Capt. F. Barr to home Feb. 9, and await retirement. (Jan. 25.)

Lt. Col. U. M. Diller, from duty at Columbus gen. depot, Columbus, O., to N. Y. C., and sail May 28 for Hawaiian Dept. for duty with QMG. (Jan. 25.)

1st Lt. N. H. Cherry from duties at Ft. Sill, Okla., to S. F., Calif., and sail May 31 for Hawaiian Dept. for duty with QMG. (Jan. 25.)

Capt. G. B. McGary to duty at Normoyle gen. depot, San Antonio, Tex., on completing pres. tour of foreign service, assigned to 3d Motor Repair Bn. (Jan. 25.)

1st Lt. L. F. Felio to duty Phila. gm. depot, Pa., as asst. to the commanding offr., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 25.)

Capt. A. E. Danielson from duty with 1st Motor Repair Bn., Holabird QM depot, Balto., Md., to duty with 2d Div., QMG, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex. (Jan. 27.)

Col. W. W. Whitely from duties at USMA, West Point, N. Y., to Wash., D. C., for duty in office of QMG. (Jan. 27.)

Maj. E. de T. Ellis to duty in office QMG, Wash., D. C., on completing pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 28.)

Capt. C. J. Esley from duty at Ft. Thomas, Ky., on expiration of leave to N. Y. Gen. depot, Bklyn., N. Y., for duty as asst. to gm. supply offr. (Jan. 28.)

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. M. W. IRELAND, THE SG
Medical Corps
Order amended to assign Capt. L. E. Beringer to duty at Walter Reed Gen. Hosp., AMC, Wash., D. C., on completing present tour of foreign service. (Jan. 24.)

1st Lt. S. A. Cameron from duty at Walter Reed Gen. Hosp., AMC, Wash., D. C., to N. Y. C., and sail Feb. 21, for Nicaragua, thence to Granada for duty. (Jan. 24.)

Maj. C. E. MacDonald, found incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, his retirement has been announced. (Jan. 25.)

Medical Administrative Corps
Capt. R. S. McKenzie from duty at station hosp., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., Mar. 15, to Hot Spgs., Nat. Park, Ark., for duty at Army and Navy Gen. Hosp. (Jan. 24.)

Capt. M. Weinberg on own application retired from active service, July 31. (Jan. 27.)

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. R. L. CARMICHAEL, C OF F
Capt. LeR. M. Edwards from duty at Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind., to N. Y. C. and sail May 7, for Philippines Dept. for duty. (Jan. 24.)

CORPS OF ENGINEERS
MAJ. GEN. LYTLE BROWN, C OF E
Capt. A. L. Lane from duty as asst. to dist. engr., 34 N. Y. dist., Ft. Hancock, N. J., Feb. 1, to duty as asst. to engr., 2d CA, Ft. Hancock, N. J. (Jan. 24.)

Lt. Col. W. T. Hannum from addl. duty as engr., 3d C. A., Feb. 1. (Jan. 24.)

Capt. S. N. Karrick from duty as asst. to engr., 3d C. A., from addl. duty as asst. to dist. engr., Balto., Md., Feb. 1, to duty as engr. of 3d C. A. (Jan. 24.)

Maj. P. S. Reinecke, now on duty at Vicksburg, Miss., detailed for duty with OR, 4th C. A., 443d Engr. Aux. Bn., in add. to other duties, Feb. 1. (Jan. 25.)

Order amended to read 1st Lt. P. N. Strong, Jr. (Jan. 28.)

SIGNAL CORPS

MAJ. GEN. G. S. GIBBS, CSO
Lt. Col. J. H. Van Horn from duty at hqrs., 1st C. A., Boston, Mass., June 1, to Wash., D. C., for duty in office of CSO. (Jan. 28.)

CHAPLAINS

CHAP. J. E. YATES, C OF C
Order further amended to read Chap. T. E. Swan, USA, to duty Ft. Bliss, Tex., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 25.)

CAVALRY

MAJ. GEN. H. B. CROSBY, C OF CAV.
Order further amended to read Chap. T. E. Swan, USA, to duty Ft. Bliss, Tex., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 25.)

Status of Promotion in Service

NAVY PROMOTION STATUS

Jan. 30, 1930

Rear Adm. O. G. Murfin, Capt. L. Noyes, Comdr. L. A. Davidson, Lt. Comdr. G. E. Maynard, Lt. L. J. Mamees, Lt. (jg) E. F. Vort.

Medical Corps

Rear Adm. N. J. Blackwood, Capt. J. A. Biello, Comdr. G. W. Calver, Lt. Comdr. J. B. Logue, Lt. C. M. Dumbauld.

Dental Corps

Comdr. E. E. Harris, Lt. Comdr. R. H. Fladeland, Lt. J. M. Thompson, jr.

Supply Corps

Rear Adm. T. H. Hicks, Capt. F. E. McMillen, Comdr. F. C. Bowerfield, Lt. Comdr. A. Rembert, Lt. E. T. Stewart, Jr.; Lt. (jg) Murray W. Clark.

Chaplain Corps

Capt. E. A. Duff, Comdr. T. L. Kirkpatrick, Lt. Comdr. J. M. Hester, Lt. F. G. Hangan, Lt. (jg) Act. Chap. C. H. Douglas.

Construction Corps

Rear Adm. G. H. Rock, Capt. L. S. Border, Comdr. F. G. Crisp, Lt. Comdr. T. P. Wynkoop, Lt. H. B. Williams.

Civil Engineer Corps

Rear Adm. F. T. Chambers, Capt. C. D. Thurber, Comdr. G. Church, Lt. Comdr. H. S. Bear, Lt. B. F. Fink.

USMC PROMOTION STATUS

Jan. 30, 1930

Last commissioned. Will make number in grade indicated on next vacancy.

Col. F. Halford 1st Lt. St. J. R. Marshall
Lt. Col. T. D. Barber Capt. M. J. Bacheider
Maj. C. A. Wynn Maj. G. D. Miller
Capt. H. B. Liversedge Lt. Col. A. B. Drum
1st Lt. G. H. Bellinger, Jr. Col. E. B. Miller

NATIONAL GUARD

WISCONSIN

The following appointments and promotions have been made effective:

2nd Lt. E. L. Carmichael, Cav. to 1st Lt., 105th Cav.; M. L. Bertie, to 2nd Lt., 105th Cav.; C. M. Heth, to Capt. VC, MD 120th FA; J. E. Platz, to 2nd Lt. Bty. B, 120th FA; 2nd Lt. L. J. Girens, to 1st Lt., 127th Inf.; G. F. Oaks, to 2nd Lt., 127th Inf.

Order amended to read Col. H. La T. Cavanaugh to S. F., Calif., and sail Mar. 1, for N. Y. C. (Jan. 24.)

1st Lt. W. R. Aobley, from duty with 4th Cav., Ft. Meade, S. Dak., assigned to 10th Cav., Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., for duty. (Jan. 28.)

FIELD ARTILLERY

COL. WM. BRYDEN, ACTING C OF FA
Maj. C. Porterfield, Jr., from duty as instr., NG, Binghamton, N. Y., assigned to 1st FA, Ft. Sill, Okla., for duty. (Jan. 27.)

1st Lt. E. A. Elwood, detailed at Univ. of Okla., Norman, Okla., on completing pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 24.)

Capt. H. D. Jay to duty at Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., on completing pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 28.)

Capt. L. W. Hasselock from duty with 18th FA, Ft. Des Moines, Ia., detailed for duty as instr., FA, N. H. NG, Manchester, N. H., to Boston, Mass., for temp. duty not to exceed seven days, thence to proper station. (Jan. 28.)

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

MAJ. GEN. ANDREW HERO, JR., C OF CA
Order amended to read 2nd Lt. E. B. Hempstead to S. F., Calif., and sail Mar. 1 for Panama Canal Dept. (Jan. 24.)

Order relieving 1st Lt. P. A. Harris from assignment to 8th CA, Ft. Preble, Me., and assigning him to 13th CA, Ft. Moultrie, S. C., revoked. (Jan. 24.)

2nd Lt. J. W. Davis from duty with 10th CA, Ft. Adams, R. I., assigned to 13th CA, Ft. Moultrie, S. C., for duty. (Jan. 24.)

1st Lt. R. W. Crichlow, Jr., assigned to 12th CA, Ft. Monroe, Va., on completing pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 27.)

Capt. W. Sackville now on temp. duty at Frankford Arsenal, Pa., from duty as instr., CA Sch., Ft. Monroe, Va., on completing pres. temp. duty, assigned to 69th CA, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for duty. (Jan. 28.)

INFANTRY

MAJ. GEN. S. O. FUQUA, C OF INF
1st Lt. H. N. Gibson, from further detail at instr., Inf., Wisc. NG, Eau Claire, Wisc., July 20, to duty with 3d Inf., Ft. Snelling, Minn. (Jan. 24.)

1st Lt. W. C. Zimmerman from duty with 3d Inf., Ft. Snelling, Minn., June 15, detailed for duty as instr., Wisc. NG, Eau Claire, Wisc.

1st Lt. J. A. Buckner, 16th Inf., Ft. Jay, N. Y., for convenience of Government to home and await retirement, via Gov. transportation for N. Y. C., Feb. 21. (Jan. 25.)

1st Lt. P. M. McChae, assigned to 18th Inf., Ft. Schuyler, N. Y., on completing pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 25.)

1st Lt. R. W. Stephens, assigned to 2d Inf., Ft. Brady, Mich., on completing pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 27.)

Capt. F. M. Cochran, detailed at Davidson Coll., Davidson, N. C., on completing

ARMY PROMOTION STATUS

Promotions and Vacancies on the Promotion List (Cumulative) Since Jan. 24, 1930

Last promotion to the grade of colonel—Selwyn D. Smith, Cav. No. 5, Page 166, Jan. 1, 1930, A. L. & D. Last nomination—Frederick G. Turner, Cav. Vacancies—None. Senior lieutenant colonel—James P. Barney, FA.

Last promotion to the grade of lieutenant colonel—John S. Pratt, CAC, No. 584, Page 158. Last nomination—Ralph McT. Pennell, FA. Vacancies—None. Senior Major—George G. Bartlett, Inf.

Last promotion to the grade of major—Stacy Knopf, FA, No. 2311, Page 164. Last nomination—Sam G. Fuller, Cav. Vacancies—None. Senior captain—Clarence E. Cotter, CAC.

Last promotion to the grade of captain—Andre L. Violante, QMC, No. 5567, Page 178. Last nomination—Aubrey Hornsby, AC. Vacancies—None. Senior 1st lieutenant—Lawrence L. Cobb, Inf.

Last promotion to the grade of first lieutenant—Lucien F. Wells, Jr., Inf., No. 3403, Page 186. Last nomination—Cornelius W. Cousland, AC. Vacancies—None. Senior 2nd lieutenant—William F. Kellotat, Inf.

Vacancies in grade of second lieutenant (Pro. List Branches) 49.

CORPS AREA

EIGHTH CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas
MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM LASSITER
Brig. Gen. Robert McCleave, Ch. of Staff

2nd Lt. E. H. Blalock, Air-Res., assigned to 320th Obs. Sq.; 1st Lt. C. L. Hussey, Air-Res., assigned to 365th Obs. Sq.; 2nd Lt. G. P. Reed, Jr., Air-Res., assigned to 328th Obs. Sq.; 2nd Lt. J. D. Webster, FA-Res., assigned to 12th FA, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas; 1st Lt. E. E. Hughes, Air-Res., assigned to 366th Obs. Sq.; 2nd Lt. C. E. Jump, FA-Res., assigned to 158th Inf.; 2nd Lt. F. E. Birney, QM-Res., assigned to the 3rd Motor Repair Bn., Camp Normoyle, Texas.

The following FA-Res., assigned to 1st Bn., 16th FA, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, due to changes in the War Department peace-time procurement objective:

1st Lt. J. H. Eaton, 1st Lt. R. E. Page, 1st Lt. E. E. Prothro, 1st Lt. W. E. Sharp, Jr., 2nd Lt. H. C. Bennett, 2nd Lt. W. V. Hampton, 2nd Lt. E. B. Owens.

Leaves—Two months and twenty-two days to 2nd Lt. G. K. Withers, 8th Eng., Combat Bn., Ft. McIntosh, Texas, to take effect on or about March 1, 1930.

pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 28.)

AIR CORPS

MAJ. GEN. J. E. FECHET, C OF AC
Order amended to direct the following 2nd Lts. to sail from N. Y. C. June 12, for the Panama Canal Dept.:
C. A. Harrington, M. M. Townner. (Jan. 25.)

1st Lt. E. C. Batten, to Wash., D. C., to Walter Reed Gen. Hosp., AMC, for observation and treatment. (Jan. 25.)

Lt. Col. R. C. Kirtland, from duty in office of C of S, Wash., D. C., June 30, to Langley Fld., Va., and assume command. (Jan. 28.)

Capt. G. Gardner, appointed asst. commandant AC Engr. Sch., Wright Fld., Dayton, O., vice Capt. E. P. Sorensen, AC, relieved, May 1. (Jan. 28.)

1st Lt. A. G. Hamilton, from duty at Selfridge Fld., Mich., from temp. duty at AC Tech. Sch., Chanute Fld., Rantoul, Ill., Mar. 25, thence to AC Tech. Sch., Chanute Fld., for duty. (Jan. 28.)

2nd Lt. W. H. Parr (CAC), from detail in AC, from March Fld., Riverside, Calif., to Pres. of S. F., Calif., for assignment to temp. duty until sailing from S. F., Feb. 7, for Hawaiian Dept., for duty with CAC. (Jan. 28.)

2nd Lt. B. D. Rindlaub (CE), from detail in AC, March Fld., Riverside, Calif., assigned to 2d Engrs., Ft. Logan, Colo., for duty. (Jan. 28.)

2nd Lt. P. W. Merrill (Inf.), from detail in AC, March Fld., Riverside, Calif., assigned to 2nd Inf., Ft. Brady, Mich., to Pres. of S. F., for temp. duty until sailing Mar. 1, to N. Y. C., thence to Ft. Brady. (Jan. 28.)

Order granting leave to 1st Lt. C. H. Welch, revoked. (Jan. 28.)

LEAVES

Two months, 15 days, Mar. 24, to Capt. A. E. Jones, AC. (Jan. 24.)

Two months, nine days, June 1, to Capt. T. S. Brand, Inf., with permission to visit foreign countries. (Jan. 24.)

Four months, June 1, to Capt. L. L. Gardner, MC, with permission to visit foreign countries. (Jan. 24.)

Three months, June 1, to 1st Lt. W. A. Bigby, Inf., with permission to visit foreign countries. (Jan. 24.)

Four months, June 16, to Capt. F. Bart, Inf., with permission to visit foreign countries. (Jan. 24.)

Ten days, Feb. 1, to Capt. R. L. Hubbell, with permission to visit foreign countries. (Jan. 24.)

One month, July 12, to Maj. A. L. Rockwood, CWS. (Jan. 25.)

Two months, 18 days, on arrival in (Please turn to Next Page)

NAVY ORDERS

January 23

Capt. W. L. Calhoun, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 28; to Naval Academy.

Comdr. G. B. Koester, det. command USS Osborne; to command USS Taylor.

Comdr. B. De Mott, det. Rec. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va., about March 30; to command USS Chandler.

Lt. Comdr. F. B. Conger, Jr., det. Rec. Ship, San Francisco, about May 1; to command USS Tattnell.

Lt. Comdr. J. F. Donelson, det. Off. in Chg., Navy Rtg. Sta., Little Rock, Ark., about March 15; to command USS Dickerson.

Lt. Comdr. J. M. Doyle, det. 13th Nav. Dist. about Feb. 10; to USS Seattle.

Lt. Comdr. W. J. Forrester, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about June 14; to USS Rochester.

Lt. Comdr. C. G. Gilliland, det. command USS Worden; to command USS Ellis.

Lt. Comdr. R. P. Hinrichs, det. command USS Worden; to command USS Badger.

Lt. Comdr. H. L. Merring, det. command USS Reno; to command USS Breckinridge.

Lt. Comdr. H. J. Peirce, det. command USS Sharkey; to command USS Barney.

Lt. Comdr. W. A. Shaw, det. USS Nevada about May 8; to duty at Nav. Instr. of Ord., Ford Instrument Co., Long Island City, N. Y.

Lt. V. C. Barringer, Jr., det. Naval Academy about Aug. 1; to USS Sacramento.

Lt. W. K. Bigger, det. USS Bridge about Jan. 22; to continue treatment, Nav. Hosp., New York, N. Y.

Lt. T. B. Brittain, det. Rec. Ship, San Francisco, about Feb. 13; to Naval Academy.

Lt. H. L. Challenger, det. Naval Academy about April 24; to command USS S-10.

Lt. C. E. Coney, det. Rec. Ship, San Francisco, about Feb. 5; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. O. E. Grimm, det. Navy Yard, Boston, about May 1; to USS New Mexico.

Lt. T. F. Hayes, det. Navy Yard, Boston; to USS Barry.

Lt. J. N. Kelly, det. USS Texas about May 22; to Nav. Powder Factory, Indianhead, Md.

Lt. H. W. Kitchin, det. USS Texas about May 8; to Off. in Chg., Nav. Rad. Sta., Annapolis, Md.

Lt. W. H. Mays, det. USS V-1 about May 10; to Subm. Base, New London, Conn.

Lt. V. F. Rathbun det. Nav. Academy about June 14; to USS Denver.

Ens. S. E. Judson, det. USS O-1 about Feb. 8; to Subm. Div. 11.

Ens. H. E. Sears, det. USS Oklahoma about March 23; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Capt. N. W. Grant (SC), to observation and treatment, Nav. Hosp., New York, N. Y.

Lt. Comdr. R. B. Huff (SC), det. USS Mexico about May 22; to Nav. Supply Depot, Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. A. W. Eldred (SC), det. USS Niagara about March 20; to Naval Academy.

Ch. Bosn. N. Anderson, det. Rec. Sta., Phila., Pa., about Feb. 15; to New York Shipbldg. Co., Camden, N. J.

Ch. Mach. C. R. Doll, det. USS New York about April 30; to Navy Yard, Puget Sound, Wash.

Comdr. H. J. Abbott, det. Nav. Trng. Sta., San Diego, Calif., about Feb. 5; to connection USS Chester

Comdr. F. R. Berg, det. command USS Mahan; to USS Lansdale as C. O.

Lt. Comdr. C. S. Alden, det. command USS Flusser; to command USS Crowninshield.

Lt. Comdr. J. M. Creighton, det. command USS Preston; to command USS Leary.

Lt. Comdr. H. F. Curley, det. command USS Reid; to command USS Cole.

Lt. Comdr. J. Y. Dreisenstok, det. command USS Lardner; to command USS Bernadou.

Lt. Comdr. W. G. B. Hatch, det. command USS Toucey; to command USS Blakeley.

Lt. Comdr. A. Y. Lanphier, det. command USS Dale; to command USS Tillman.

Lt. Comdr. R. A. Lavender, det. command USS Lamson; to command USS Herbert.

Lt. Comdr. T. Moran, det. command USS Coglian; to command USS Dickerson.

Lt. Comdr. S. R. Shumaker, det. command USS Maury; to command USS Luce.

Lt. Comdr. J. B. Timberlake, Jr., det. command USS Converse; to command USS Manley.

Lt. Comdr. C. C. Todd, Jr., det. command USS Putnam; to command USS Hale.

Lt. F. W. Beltz, ora. Jan. 18 modified. To duty USS Colorado.

Lt. J. B. Griggs, Jr., det. command USS S-10 about May 8; to Naval Academy.

Lt. M. C. Hutchinson, det. USS Saratoga; to temp. duty Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Lt. W. B. Thorp, det. Rec. Ship, Boston; to connection USS V-5.

ARMY ORDERS

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U. S., to Capt. A. S. Levinsohn, QMC. (Jan. 25.)

One month, 15 days, Mar. 1, to 1st Lt. W. C. White, AC. (Jan. 25.)

Two months, 15 days, on arrival in U. S., to 2nd Lt. W. J. Paul, AC. (Jan. 25.)

Extension 10 days, to Maj. G. G. Bartlett, GSC. (Jan. 27.)

One month, 12 days, Mar. 19, to Col. H. La T. Cavanaugh, Cav. (Jan. 27.)

Two months, Jan. 28, to 1st Lt. E. Andersen, QMC. (Jan. 28.)

Extension two days, to 1st Lt. H. B. Waddell, Cav. (Jan. 28.)

Two months, on account of sickness, Feb. 1, to Capt. E. P. H. Gempel, CWS. (Jan. 28.)

Four days, Jan. 29, to Maj. Gen. J. E. Fechet, C. of AC. (Jan. 25.)

TRANSFERS

Capt. H. B. Sepulveda, Inf., to AGD, Jan. 22, announced. (Jan. 24.)

2nd Lt. J. F. Olive, Jr., Inf., to AC, Nov. 21, announced; he will remain on pres. duties. (Jan. 25.)

BOARDS

A board of officers to consist of Brig. Gen. L. H. Bash, asst. to QMG; Brig. H. C. Fisher, asst. to SG; Col. F. W. Coleman, FD, appointed to meet in Wash., D. C., at the call of the senior member thereof, to determine whether or not officers were placed in class-B due to their own neglect, misconduct, or avoidable habits. Maj. F. G. Munson, judge advocate, detailed as recorder of the board without vote. (Jan. 2.)

WARRANT OFFICER

Wrent. Offr. D. M. Erwin from duties at Hdqrs. 5th CA, Ft. Hayes, O., on Jan. 29, to home and await retirement. (Jan. 28.)

RETIREMENT OF ENLISTED MEN

Mstr. Sgt. W. E. Nickell, Hd. Co., 6th Inf., at Jefferson Bks., Mo. (Jan. 24.)

Mstr. Sgt. O. Anderson, Hdqrs. Co., 16th Inf., at Ft. Wadsworth, N. Y. (Jan. 24.)

Mstr. Sgt. S. F. Williams, Hdqrs. Bty., 12th CA, at Ft. Monroe, Va. (Jan. 24.)

Mstr. Sgt. H. P. Russell, DEML, N. H. NG, at State Armory, Concord, N. H. (Jan. 25.)

Staff Sgt. A. A. Nagel, QMC, 1st Cav. Div., at Ft. Bliss, Tex. (Jan. 25.)

ORGANIZED RESERVES

2nd Lt. D. J. Hatke, Inf-Res., to active duty, Feb. 18, to Inf. Sch., Ft. Benning, Ga., for duty as stud. in rifle course. (Jan. 25.)

Maj. D. H. Burnham, QMC-Res., to active duty Jan. 29, to Chicago qm. depot, Chicago, Ill., for training. (Jan. 25.)

Maj. R. R. Hendon, Jr., CAC-Res., to active duty Mar. 14, to Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., to pursue course for Reserve ofrs. at C and G S Sch. (Jan. 27.)

Maj. C. S. Robinson, Ord-Res., to active duty June 8, to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for training. (Jan. 27.)

Lt. Col. J. H. Steck, Inf-Res., detailed as member of board of ofrs. appointed by par. 7, S. O. 271, W. D., 1927, for recommending individuals who should be awarded decorations. (Jan. 27.)

1st Lt. H. C. Rodgers, Spec-Res., to active duty Feb. 17, to Wright Fld., Dayton, O., for training. (Jan. 28.)

1st Lt. M. C. Jones, DC-Res., appointed 1st Lt. in DC, Regular Army, Nov. 12; he will proceed to Ft. Hancock, N. J., for duty. (Jan. 28.)

LATE WAR DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

The following orders were received too late for classification:

S. O. 24, W. D., JAN. 29, 1930.

General Officers.

Appointment of Brig. Gen. H. A. Drum,

MOVEMENT AND SUPPLY

of the

GERMAN FIRST ARMY

AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER, 1914

During 1922 Major General James G. Harbord, then Chief of Staff of the Army, transmitted to the Commanding General of the American Forces in Germany an outline of the scope of work desired. The plan called for a study on the ground by a group of selected American and German officers of the methods of supply of the German First Army during its advance in 1914 through Belgium into France, as the right element of the German force.

Major W. C. Koenig, CAC, was placed in charge of the compilation of this work. Major Koenig obtained the services of General von Kuhl and General von Bergmann of the German Army. These officers prepared a military treatise on the supply and transportation of General von Kluck's command (First Army), with such observation on organization, concentration and troop movement as would be in keeping with the subject.

This subject has been printed in book form, consisting of 233 pages and maps, bound in dark green buckram. A limited number of copies are available. Price per copy 75c.

BOOK DEPARTMENT

Command and General Staff School,
Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

USA, as Inspector General, with rank of Maj. Gen. for period of four years, beginning Jan. 29, announced, he is relieved from duty at Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., 1st Div., to Wash., D. C., and take station.

Dental Corps.

Maj. J. L. Olsento, president of Army retiring board at Hdqrs., 9th C. A. for examination.

Field Artillery.

Capt. W. H. McNaught detailed as instr., FA, N. Y., NG, Kingston, N. Y., on completing pres. tour of foreign service.

Coast Artillery Corps.

1st Lt. W. R. Ellis from duty with 12th CA, Ft. Monroe, Va., detailed to Ann Harbor, Mich., Feb. 17, for course of instruction.

Air Corps.

Capt. H. C. Frayton to duty at Chanute Fld., Rantoul, Ill., on completing tour of foreign service.

1st Lt. R. K. Lebrun, to duty at Rockwell Fld., Coronado, Calif., on completing tour of foreign service.

1st Lt. L. M. Rouch to duty as stu at AC Primary Flying Sch., March Fld., Riverside, Calif., on completing tour of foreign service.

Following to station indicated on completing tour of foreign service:

Capt. C. A. Pursley, Chanute Fld., Rantoul, Ill.; 1st Lt. T. H. Chapman, San Antonio, Tex. air depot, Duncan Fld., San Antonio, Tex.; 1st Lt. H. G. Davidson, 1st Balloon Co., Ft. Sill, Okla.; 1st Lt. W. S. Hamlin, AC Troops, Ft. Sill, Okla.; 1st Lt. B. Johnson, Wright Fld., Dayton, Ohio; 1st Lt. O. G. Kelly, AC Training Center, Duncan Fld., San Antonio, Tex.; 1st Lt. A. F. Shea, Bolling Fld., Wash., D. C.; 2nd Lt. C. S. Irvine, March Fld., Riverside, Calif.

Following from duty at station indicated to S. F. Calif. and sail May 24, for Philippine Dept. for duty:

1st Lts. S. M. Ellis, Brooks Fld., Tex.; W. H. Hardy, March Fld., Calif.; A. Hornsby, March Fld., Calif.; F. C. Nelson, March Fld., Calif.; F. B. Valentine, Rockwell Fld., Calif.; 2nd Lt. C. W. Counseland, Post Field, Ft. Sill, Okla.

2nd Lt. F. E. Cheatele from duty at Brooks Fld., Tex., to S. F. Calif. and sail May 1 for Hawaiian Dept. for duty.

1st Lt. R. H. Finley from duty at Chanute Fld., Ill., to N. Y. C. and sail May 28 for Hawaiian Dept. for duty.

2nd Lt. A. J. Lehman from duty at Brooks Fld., Tex., to N. Y. C. and sail June 12, for Panama Canal Dept. for duty.

Following from duty at station indicated to N. Y. C. and sail May 7, for Philippine Dept. for duty.

Capt. O. S. Ferson, Chanute Fld., Ill., 1st Lt. B. Hoppin, Bolling Fld., Washington, D. C.; 2nd Lt. W. R. Wolfenbarger, Langley Fld., Va.

Leaves.

Extension 1 day to Lt. H. B. Waddell, Cav.

Three months, 21 days, May 1, to Capt. R. E. McGarraugh, CAC.

Extension one month, on account of sickness, to 2nd Lt. C. G. Galloway, AC (CAC).

Retirement of Enlisted Man.

Mstr. Sgt. J. P. Walsh, Service Co., 17th Inf., at Ft. Omaha, Nebr.

Order to NCO.

Mstr. Sgt. R. F. Duane, 11th Signal Service Co., transferred to 15th Signal Co., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Organized Reserves.

1st Lt. A. Belden, Inf-Res., to active duty Feb. 17, to Inf. Sch., Ft. Benning, Ga., for duty as stud.

1st Lt. L. G. Meder, DC-Res., appointment as 1st Lt. in DC, Regular Army, announced, to Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., for duty.

LATE WAR DEPARTMENT ORDERS

The following orders were received too late for classification:

S. O. 25, W. D., Jan. 30, 1930

Quartermaster Corps

1st Lt. C. E. Stafford from duty as post qm., Rockwell Fld., Calif., from addl duty as qm., Southern Calif., border dist., to S. F., Calif., and sail Apr. 12 for Panama Canal Dept. for duty.

Field Artillery

Capt. J. S. Robison, now at Letterman Gen. Hosp. Pres. of S. F., Calif., to president of Army Retiring Bd., Hdqrs., 9th C. A., for examination.

Coast Artillery Corps

Maj. G. D. Holland, from duty with 9th CA, Ft. Banks, Mass., to N. Y. C., and sail for Hawaiian Dept. for duty.

Infantry

Capt. H. D. Schiebla, detailed at Univ. of Ky., Lexington, on completing tour of foreign service.

Promotions

Promotions of the following officers announced:

Adjutant General's Department—Maj. B. Sneed, to Lt. Col. Jan. 10.

Judge Advocate General's Department—Capt. E. H. Burt, to Maj. Jan. 13.

Cavalry—Lt. Col. A. E. Phillips, to Col. Jan. 12; Lt. Col. R. B. Ellis, to Col. Jan. 13; Lt. Col. S. D. Smith, to Col. Jan. 13.

Field Artillery—Maj. G. W. DeArmond, to Lt. Col. Jan. 12; Maj. C. Parker, to Lt. Col. Jan. 14; Capt. S. Knopf, to Maj. Jan. 14.

Coast Artillery Corps—Maj. J. S. Pratt, to Lt. Col. Jan. 14; Capt. R. M. Carswell, to Maj. Jan. 13.

Infantry—Capt. P. E. Peabody, to Maj. Jan. 10; Capt. A. F. Christie, to Maj. Jan. 12; Capt. R. M. O'Day, to Maj. Jan. 14.

Air Corps—Maj. F. M. Andrews, to Lt. Col. Jan. 13; Maj. O. Westover, to Lt. Col. Jan. 13.

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NAVY ORDERS

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Lt. E. W. Wunch, Jr., det. USS Arkansas about May 8; to Nav. Sta., Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

Lt. (jg) C. Adair, det. USS Toucey; to USS Blakely.

Lt. (jg) K. J. Beiderman, det. USS Toucey; to USS Blakely.

Lt. (jg) C. L. Boyle, det. USS Sharkey; to USS Barney.

Lt. (jg) C. L. Clement, det. USS Worden; to USS Ellis.

Lt. (jg) W. B. Colborn, det. USS Worden; to USS Ellis.

Lt. (jg) W. L. Dyer, det. USS Putnam; to USS Hale.

Lt. (jg) T. E. Fraser, det. USS Worden; to USS Ellis.

Lt. (jg) R. K. Gaines, det. VF Sqd. 3B, (USS Lexington), Air Sqds., Battle Fld., about May 22; to duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) J. L. Hull, det. USS Putnam; to USS Hale.

Lt. (jg) R. W. Larson, det. VF Sqd. 3B, (USS Lexington), Air Sqds., Battle Fld., about May 22; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) S. E. Latimer, det. USS Osborne; to USS Taylor.

Lt. (jg) E. C. Loughhead, det. USS Isherwood; to USS Breckenridge.

Lt. (jg) F. H. Newton, Jr., det. USS Nevada; to Off. in Chg., Navy Rctg Sta., Houston, Texas.

Lt. (jg) V. R. Roane, det. USS Isherwood; to USS Breckenridge.

Lt. (jg) R. W. Ruble, det. VF Sqd. 3B, (USS Lexington), Air Sqds., Battle Fld., about May 22; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) A. Sledge, det. USS Isherwood; to USS Breckenridge.

Lt. (jg) J. E. Spahn, det. USS Toucey; to USS Blakely.

Lt. (jg) E. B. Strauss, det. USS Toucey; to USS Blakely.

Lt. (jg) D. J. Sweeney, det. USS Isherwood; to USS Breckenridge.

Lt. (jg) M. Van Metre, det. USS Sharkey; to USS Barney.

Lt. (jg) W. S. Veeder, det. USS Putnam; to USS Hale.

Lt. (jg) G. M. Whitson, Jr., det. USS Sharkey; to USS Barney.

Ens. I. F. Beyerly, det. Nav. Air Sta., Hampton Rds., Va., about Jan. 15; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Ens. G. B. Coale, det. USS Putnam; to USS Hale.

Ens. R. S. Ford, det. USS Putnam; to USS Hale.

Ens. M. W. Graybill, det. USS Worden; to USS Ellis.

Ens. W. B. Hinds, det. USS Memphis about Feb. 21; to USS Gilmer for temp. duty.

Ens. G. W. Legwen, Jr., det. USS Osborne; to USS Taylor.

Ens. E. C. Madsen, det. Battleship Divs, Battle Fld., about March 23; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla., for temp. duty.

Ens. R. F. Martin, det. USS Worden; to USS Ellis.

Ens. R. E. Myers, det. USS Osborne; to USS Taylor.

Ens. W. S. Pye, Jr., det. USS Salt Lake City about Jan. 15; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Ens. A. Ramsay, det. USS Toucey; to USS Blakely.

Ens. J. C. Riggs, Jr., det. USS Thompson about Jan. 20; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Ens. E. B. Robinson, det. USS Sharkey; to USS Barney.

Ens. H. E. Strange, det. USS Isherwood; to USS Breckenridge.

Lt. G. W. Wilson (MC), uncompleted portion desp. ors. Dec. 18 revoked; to duty Nav. Hosp., Wash., D. C.

Lt. (jg) J. B. Bancroft (DC), to duty Naval Academy.

Lt. (jg) G. W. Berry (DC), det. Nav. Med. School, Wash., D. C., about Feb. 3; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. (jg) T. E. Crowley (DC), to duty Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill.

Lt. (jg) G. M. Mills (DC), to duty Naval Academy.

Lt. (jg) E. A. Thomas (DC), to duty Naval Academy.

Lt. L. C. Graham (SC), ors. Dec. 21 further modified. To duty Nav. Ammun. Depot, Ft. Mifflin, Pa.

Jan. 30, 1930

Comdr. J. B. Earle, det. aide to Comdt., 13th Nav. Dist., after June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. L. B. Anderson, det. Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va., about April 25; to USS Nevada.

Comdr. W. D. Brereton, Jr., det. command USS Neches after June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Lt. Comdr. P. W. Fletcher, det. command USS Chandler about April 15; to Bu. Ord.

Lt. Comdr. A. E. King, Jr., det. USS Sharkey; to USS Barney.

Lt. Comdr. W. D. Thomas, det. Asst. Nav. Attache, Am. Embassy, Paris, France, about May 1; to Air Sqds., Setg. Fld., for duty.

Lt. Comdr. J. B. W. Waller, det. Naval Operations, Navy Dept., about April 20; to USS Colorado.

Lt. Comdr. T. D. Warner, det. USS Coghlan; to USS Dickerson.

Lt. Comdr. A. S. Witherspoon, det. USS Converse; to USS Manley.

Lt. Henry D. Baggett, det. Off. in Chg., Nav. Rad. Sta., Annapolis, Md., May 1; to USS Lansdale.

Lt. W. W. Behrens, det. USS Mahan; to USS Lansdale.

Lt. D. Blanchard, det. USS Arctic about May 15; to USS Saratoga.

3B, (USS Lexington), Air Sqds., Battle-

Fld., about May 22; to Nav. Air Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. R. W. Bruner, det. USS Saratoga about May 15; to Bu. Eng.

Lt. J. G. Burrow, det. USS Putnam; to USS Hale.

Lt. W. McC. Callaghan, det. Bu. Eng., about May 1; to USS Saratoga.

Lt. H. B. Corwin, det. USS Dale; to USS Tillman.

Lt. R. P. Cunningham, det. USS Flusser; to USS Crowninshield.

Lt. J. P. Curtis, det. aide and flag lieutenant on staff Light Cruiser Diva, Setg. Fld., about June 1; to Naval Academy.

Lt. N. H. Eisenhardt, det. USS Isherwood; to USS Breckenridge.

Lt. T. A. Gaylord, det. USS Preston; to USS Leary.

Lt. W. F. Hinckley, det. USS Lardner; to USS Bernadou.

Lt. A. Hobbs, det. USS Maury; to USS Luce.

Lt. J. D. H. Kane, det. Nav. Torp. Sta., Newport, R. I. about May 1; to USS California.

Lt. E. F. McCartin, det. Naval Academy about May 1; to USS Lexington.

Lt. W. E. Miller, det. USS Lamson; to USS Herbert.

Lt. W. R. Read, det. Naval Academy about May 1; to USS Maryland.

Lt. E. J. Richards, det. USS Toucey; to USS Blakely.

Lt. L. A. Thackrey, det. USS Reid; to USS Cole.

Lt. H. G. Williams, det. Nav. Observatory, Wash., D. C., about May 19; to USS Maryland.

Lt. A. F. Winslow, det. USS Osborne; to USS Taylor.

Lt. (jg) R. DeC. Baker, det. USS Maury to USS Luce.

Lt. (jg) J. B. Brown, det. USS Converse; to USS Manley.

Lt. (jg) J. M. Carson, det. VF Sqd. 3B, (USS Lexington), Air Sqds., Battle Fld., about May 22; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) E. F. Crowe, det. USS Mahan; to USS Lansdale.

Lt. (jg) W. C. Ford, det. USS Converse; to USS Manley.

Lt. (jg) J. B. Fox, det. USS Dale; to USS Tillman.

Lt. (jg) J. F. Gallaher, det. USS Coghlan; to USS Dickerson.

Lt. (jg) R. G. Ganahl, det. Nav. Air Sta., Hampton Rds., Va., about Jan. 15; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) R. H. Gingras, det. USS Lardner; to USS Bernadou.

Lt. (jg) A. J. Greenacre, det. USS Reid; to USS Cole.

Lt. (jg) W. E. Henninger, det. USS Preston; to USS Leary.

Lt. (jg) F. J. Ilseman, det. USS Dale; to USS Tillman.

Lt. (jg) C. M. Jensen, det. USS Mahan; to USS Lansdale.

Lt. (jg) H. M. Kelly, det. USS Maury; to USS Luce.

Lt. (jg) J. M. Lane, det. Nav. Air Sta., Hampton Rds., Va., about Jan. 1

U. S. Fleet Directory

Corrected to Jan. 30

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BATTLE FLEET

Adm. L. M. Nulton, Commander in Chief, California (flagship), San Pedro, Calif.

Battleship Divisions.

Vice Adm. L. A. Bostwick, Commander. Division 4—Mississippi, Navy Yard, Bremerton, Wash.; Idaho, New Mexico, San Pedro, Calif.

Division 5—West Virginia, Colorado, San Pedro, Calif.; Maryland, Bremerton, Wash.; Tennessee, San Pedro, Calif.

Destroyer Squadrons

Rear Adm. Thomas J. Senn, Commander. Rigel, San Diego; Omaha, San Diego, Calif.

Squadron 11—Decatur (leader), San Diego; Melville, San Diego, Calif.

Division 30—McCawley, San Diego; Moody, Doyen, Henshaw, San Diego, Calif.

Division 31—J. F. Burnes, Wm. Jones, Somers, Percival, Claxton, San Diego, Calif.; Farragut, San Diego.

Division 32—Thompson, Stoddert, barguham, Hamilton, Badger, Kennedy, San Diego.

Squadron 12—Litchfield (leader), San Diego; Altair (tender), San Diego, Calif.

Division 34—Wood, Sloat, Yarrowborough, Shirk, La Vautte, Kidder, San Diego.

Division 35—Mullany, Robert Smith, Mervine, Marcus, Chase, Selfridge, San Diego.

Division 36—Southard, Mare Island; Farenholt, Sumner, Corry, San Diego; Hull, San Diego; Melvin, San Diego.

Division 45—Pruitt, Sicard, Preble, San Diego; Wm. B. Preston, Hulbert, Noa, Mare Island.

Aircraft Squadrons.

Rear Adm. H. V. Butler, Commander. Saratoga (flagship), San Pedro; Lexington, San Pedro; Arcostook, Ganett, San Diego; Langley, San Diego, Calif.

Submarine Divisions.

Rear Admiral T. C. Hart, Commander. Holland (flagship and tender), San Diego; Ortolan (tender), San Diego.

Division 11—S-26, S-24, S-29, S-25, S-27, S-28, San Diego.

Division 19—S-45, S-46, S-42, S-44, S-47, San Diego; S-43, Mare Island.

Division 20—Argonne (tender), San Diego; V-3, V-4, Mare Island; V-2, V-1, San Diego.

Submarines Based on Pearl Harbor. Seagull (tender), Widgeon (tender), Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Division 9—R-1, R-2, R-3, R-4, R-5, R-6, R-7, R-8, R-9, R-10, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Division 14—R-11, R-12, R-13, R-14, R-15, R-16, R-17, R-18, R-19, R-20, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

BASE FORCE.

Rear Adm. T. P. Magruder, Commander. Procyon, San Pedro, Calif.

Mine Squadron 2—Whippoorwill, Pearl Harbor, T. H.; Burns, Ludlow, San Diego, Calif.; Tanager, San Pedro.

Train Squadron 1—Antares, Bridge, Vestal, Guantanamo Bay; Brazos, Gonaives, Haiti.

Train Squadron Two—Relief, San Pedro; Neches, Mare Island; Cuyama, Medusa, San Diego; Arctic, San Pedro, Calif.

SCOUTING FLEET.

Vice Adm. W. C. Cole, Commander. Send mail "Care of Postmaster, New York City."

Battleship Divisions. Division 2—Wyoming, Arkansas, Florida, Utah, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; Arizona, Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va.; Pennsylvania, Navy Yard, Philadelphia.

Division 3—New York, Nevada, Oklahoma, Guantanamo Bay.

Light Cruiser Divisions. Rear Adm. Frank H. Clark, Commander. Division 3—Detroit, Cincinnati, Milwaukee, Raleigh, Guantanamo Bay.

Division 2—Richmond, Guantanamo Bay; Marblehead, Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va.; Trenton, Memphis, Guantanamo Bay.

Destroyer Squadrons. Capt. W. R. Sexton, Commander.

Concord, Gonaives, Haiti; Converse, Philadelphia.

Squadron 9—Dallas, Philadelphia, Pa.; Whitney, Philadelphia, Pa.

Division 25—Case, Breck, Lardner, Toucey, Isherwood, Philadelphia, Pa.; Sharkey, Philadelphia.

Division 26—Putnam, Billingsley, Worden, Flusser, Dale, Reid, Philadelphia, Pa.

Division 27—Osborne, Lamson, Charles Ausburn, Coghlan, Preston, Bruce, Philadelphia, Pa.

Squadron 14—Dobbin (tender), Hopkins, Gonaives, Haiti.

Division 40—Hatfield, Gilmer, Kane, Humphreys, Gonaives, Haiti; Brooks, Lawrence, New York, N. Y.

Division 41—K. K. Paulding, Childs, Overton, McFarland, Starkevart, Gonaives, Haiti; King, Gonaives, Haiti.

Division 42—Bainbridge, Barry, Goff, Gonaives, Haiti; Reuben, James, Navy

Aircraft Squadrons. Capt. John Halligan, jr., Commander. Wright, Media Luna Cay, Cuba; Teal, Sandpiper, Media Luna Cay.

CONTROL FORCE. Rear Adm. F. B. Upham, Commander. Camden, Panama Bay; Mallard, Balboa, C. Z.; S-4, Falcon, Key West.

Mine Squadron No. —Oglala, Panama Bay; Maury, Mahan, Philadelphia, Pa.; Quail, Lark, Panama Bay.

Submarine Divisions. Division 2—Chewink, O-4, O-3, O-2, O-6, O-7, O-1, New London; O-10, O-8, O-9, Portsmouth, N. H.

Panama Bay. Coco Solo, C. Z.

Division 4—S-18, S-19, S-22, S-21, S-23, S-48, S-1, Panama Bay.

Division 12—Bushnell, S-3, S-6, S-7, S-8, S-9, Panama Bay.

Division 18—S-14, S-15, S-17, Panama Bay; S-16, Balboa.

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Destroyer Squadron. Paul Jones (flagship), Olongapo, P. I.; Black Hawk, Olongapo.

Division 38—John D. Edwards, Whipple, Tracy, Borie, Smith, Thompson, Barker, Subic Bay, P. I.

Division 39—Parrott, Cavite, P. I.; Simpson, Manila, P. I.; Bulmer, Chinkiang; Edsall, Wuhu; McCormick, Nanking, China; McLeish, Swatow, China.

Division 43—Peary, Stewart, Pope, Truxton, Pillsbury, John D. Ford, Subic Bay, P. I.

Aircraft Squadron. Jason, Heron, Avocet, Manila, P. I.

Submarine Division. Pigeon, Manila, P. I.

Division 16—Beaver (tender), S-32, S-37, S-38, S-39, S-40, S-41, Mariveles, P. I.

Division 17—Canopus (tender), S-36, S-37, S-38, S-39, S-40, S-41, Manila, P. I.

Mine Detachment. Bittern, Finch, Hart, Rizal, Manila, P. I.

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Army Confirmations

THE following Army nominations were confirmed by the Senate Jan. 28:

Appointments

To be inspector general with rank of major general:

Hugh Aloysius Drum.

To be second lieutenant, Air Corps:

E. T. M. Arthur, jr.	L. E. Massie.
N. B. Olsen.	S. P. Wright.
C. M. LeMay.	W. C. Dolan.
K. R. Crosher.	I. L. Farman.
W. A. Schulgen.	W. R. Morgan.
D. B. White.	P. G. Meisenholder.
D. H. Baxter.	J. W. Egan.
L. A. Vaupre.	L. M. Rawlings, jr.
A. L. Beatie.	H. H. Van Auker.
S. O. Redetzke.	R. O. Cork.
R. T. Wright.	W. C. Mills.
M. W. Judd.	H. H. Tellman.
E. L. Anderson.	J. K. Gerhart.
E. W. Anderson.	H. L. Mace.
J. C. Covington.	S. J. Nelson.
W. C. Morse.	G. B. McLellan.
C. P. West.	E. Patten.
W. L. Kennedy.	F. H. Griswold.
C. F. Pugh.	L. R. Brownfield.
J. Auton.	R. W. Burns.
H. W. Howze.	D. W. Jenkins.
J. P. Ryan.	W. M. Prince.
A. W. Shepherd.	C. F. Hegy.
R. S. Macrum.	J. P. Newberry.
C. L. Munroe, jr.	R. W. Goetz.
L. O. Ryan.	S. O. Ross.

Would Ignore Retirement

SENATOR BROUSSARD this week introduced a bill (S. 3223) to recognize the period of retirement of certain officers who were transferred back to the active list prior to July 1, 1920, as active service for all purposes of pay and retirement.

C. Chappellet. J. W. Baylor.

Promotions

A. E. Phillips to be colonel, Cav.
R. B. Ellis to be colonel, Cav.
S. D. Smith to be colonel, Cav.
B. Sneed to be lieutenant colonel, AGD.
G. W. DeArmond to be lieutenant colonel, FA.
F. M. Andrews to be lieutenant colonel, AC.
O. Westover to be lieutenant colonel, AC.
C. Parker to be lieutenant colonel, FA.
J. S. Pratt to be lieutenant colonel, CAC.
P. E. Peabody to be major, Inf.
A. F. Christie to be major, Inf.
R. McC. Carswell to be major, CAC.
E. H. Burt to be major, JAGD.
R. M. O'Day to be major, Inf.
S. Knopf to be major, FA.
M. R. Reiber to be major, MC.
W. K. Turner to be major, MC.

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Marine Corps Confirmations

THE following Marine Corps nominations were confirmed by the Senate Jan. 29:

1st Lt. H. B. Liversedge to be a captain from Jan. 17.

2nd Lt. L. A. Brown to be a first lieutenant from July 25.

The following-named noncommissioned officers of the Marine Corps to be second lieutenants probationary for two years, from Jan. 25:

Corpl. John Wehle.
Corpl. Lewis R. Tyler.
Corpl. William P. Battell.
Corpl. Edson L. Lyman.
Sergt. James P. Berkeley.

Canadian Ship To Visit

UPON request of the Secretary of State, the Secretary of War has directed the Commanding General of the 4th Corps Area, Maj. Gen. Frank R. McCoy, with Headquarters at Atlanta, Ga., to extend the usual courtesies and facilities to the Canadian warships Vancouver and Champlain on the occasion of their visit to Miami, Fla., Feb. 21 to 28.

Sergt. Peter A. McDonald.
Sergt. Archibald D. Abel.
Corpl. William W. Childs.
Corpl. Charles E. Shepard, jr.
Corpl. Michael McG. Mahoney.

1st Division Sports

THE Ft. Ontario bowling league has completed half of the season schedule. Four of the five competing teams are closely bunched. The Detachment Team, consisting of all the enlisted personnel of the post not regularly assigned to any of the four companies, holds a slight lead.

The basketball league at Ft. Ontario shows Company L, 28th Inf., clearly in the lead. They have defeated each of the three companies at least twice and always by a decisive score.

Company C, 1st Engrs., won from Company E in a hard-fought bowling game; the score being 736-581. Sgt. Lakey bowled 171, the highest individual score made.

Company F, one of the strongest teams in the Ft. DuPont league, defeated the Engineer Band in a close match with a score of 717 to 702. The high score was bowled by Carlson of the band with 180. Second was Walker of Company 3, with 167.

The Ft. Schuyler basketball team defeated the St. Benedict five of New York City, 31-24.

The Ft. Schuyler basketball team defeated the Bronx Springfield five by a score of 52 to 15. Pts. Mattes and Rosenbaum starred for the victors.

The Ft. Niagara Bowling League, at its mid-season point, finds Company G in the lead with four wins and no losses.

The Ft. Niagara basketball fans have been furnished with plenty of real entertainment since the league played its opening game on Jan. 2d. Headquarters Company stands in first place.

Formal opening of the newly renovated drill hall at Ft. Ontario was made on Jan. 24th, when the first boxing card of the season was presented to the public. Six bouts of four rounds each constituted an all-soldier program. Pvt. 1cl Fenk, Corps Area lightweight champion, appeared in his first bout of the season.

Ft. Wadsworth's basketball team suffered its first defeat of the season at the hands of a strong team of former collegiate stars. The game was decided in the last minute of play by a score of 29-28. At half-time Wadsworth basketballers led 19-17. Close guarding and brilliant pass work enabled the visitors to hold the home team while ringing up six goals.

Basketball and bowling claim attention at Ft. DuPont. In a hard-fought game of basketball on the 15th, Company C, 1st Engineers, won over Company D, 56 to 48. Company C held the advantage throughout the game, its high scorers being Lt. Myers and Sgts. McGee and Smith. For Company D, Sgt. Watson starred. On the 21st, a game between Company D and Headquarters Service Company ended 46 to 35 in favor of Company D.

The bowling match between Companies E and F, Ft. DuPont, was very close throughout. These are the most teams in the post league outstanding, so far. While Cpl. Walker, Company F, bowled high score of 189, the team total of Company C was 814, the highest bowled in the league to date against 799. Company C now has a record of five games won and none lost.

Service Company, 18th Inf., is now undisputed leader of the Ft. Hamilton basketball league. They recently defeated Headquarters Company in an overtime game by 29-25. This was the first defeat suffered by the Headquarters team.

Will Address Sojourners

CONGRESSMAN HOMER HOCH, of Kansas, will address the Feb. 11 meeting of Washington Chapter, National Sojourners.

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SERVICE SPORT NEWS

AWARD 35th INF. CUPS.

Schofield Barracks (Special).—At a retreat parade held in the General's Loop on Jan. 14, Col. Ira C. Welborn, commanding the 35th Infantry, awarded cups to the companies winning the 1929 inter-company boxing and basketball tournaments, miniature boxing gloves to the champions of the various weights in the boxing tournament, and sweaters, stripes and sweat shirts to the members of the football team. The football team finished second in the Hawaiian Division League, losing only one game.

Company G received the boxing cup and Company M the basketball cup. Pts. Dobson, D'Andrio, Prosey, Blum, Wynn, Perkins and Washburn received miniature boxing gloves.

Football sweaters were given to Lt. Shugart, Staff Sgt. Burgess, Sgts. Caldwell and Engstrom, Cpls. Walker, Tatterson, Gordon and Phillips, and Pts. Thornblade and Evans. Football stripes were given to Lt. Decker, Staff Sgt. Maye, Sgts. Strickland, Brewer, Workman and Popovich, Cpls. Greenlee, Scott and Wilkins and Pts. Yanchus, Elkins, Shelton and Weaver. Cpls. Todd and Gregory, and Pts. Woods, Robinson, Deffenbaugh, Pittenger, Emig, Simon, Pearson, Renner, Pearson and Cochran received sweat shirts.

A special award, originated this year, to the most outstanding soldier in the promotion of athletics in the regiment in 1929 was given to Staff Sgt. W. M. Burgess.

The 35th Infantry inter-company baseball league will get under way the first of February. The companies have been divided into two leagues, the winners to play for the championship.

BENNING CAGERS RESUME

Ft. Benning (Special).—The post basketball team here recently had its string of ten straight victories broken by Macon Y. M. C. A.—34-27, but resumed form the following night and defeated Lanett Athletic Club, Columbus, Ga., by 46-33. Subsequently Lanett reversed the decision, however.

REVIEWS COAST DEFENSE.

Cincinnati (Special).—At the next meeting on Feb. 5, of the headquarters commandery of the State of Ohio of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, Maj. B. L. Balswin will speak on Coast Defense Guns, 1812 to 1870.

TRAIN FOR CUBA REGATTA.

Guantanamo Bay (Special).—Boats crews from several craft, notably the Colorado and the Idaho, have begun training for the coming Guantanamo Bay regatta.

BF NINES WARMING UP.

Baseball teams of the Battle Fleet are already looking forward to the opening of the season, and engaging in some preliminary practice.

Much is expected from the teams of the California, the Mississippi, the West Virginia, the Tennessee, the Lexington and the Saratoga.

16TH INF. BEGINS FIRING

Many of the straight-shooting doughboys who helped the 16th Infantry Indoor Rifle Team through its successful season last year, are again donning their shooting jackets for the coming season. This year Capt. J. J. Nealon will be the team coach, replacing Lt. Kron, who has left Ft. Jay. The team fires against the Old 13th, NG, at its Brooklyn Armory this weekend. Telegraphic matches will be fired in the near future. The team complete with alternates, is as follows: Sgt. Walling, Co. C, capt.; Sgt. Oliver, Cpl. Green and Pts. Collins and Richard of Co. A; Sgt. Davidson, Pts. Arrow and Wendolsky, Co. F; Cpl. Timke, Co. B; Cpl. Miller, Co. E; Pvt. Connors, Co. G, and 1st Sgt. Fuller, Sgt. Norton and Pvt. Arters of Co. I.

C. Z. TRACK EVENTS BEGUN.

Balboa, C. Z. (Special).—Preliminary trials for the Panama Canal Department field and track meet were scheduled for Jan. 28 and 29 in the 100 and 220-yard dashes, the shuttle relay, the pole vault, the running broad jump, the running high jump, the shot put, and the javelin throw.

30th INF. CAGERS SHINE.

Presidio of San Francisco (Special).—Basketball and boxing are under the floodlights of the sport world during the month of January in the 30th Infantry. The soldier basketball team is making a strong bid for championship of the San Francisco City League, comprised of seven well-known city teams in addition to the 30th Infantry aggregation.

The first game played by the doughboys with the House of Oliver was lost by the soldiers by a closely contested score of 18-16. Since then the quintet from the Presidio have met and vanquished the Greer Robins team, 45-37; the Landers Smoke Shop, 43-26; the Matsen Line, 34-17, and the Eagles, 16 to 11. The boys expect to return the compliments of the House of Oliver on Feb. 18, and Capt. Karl Minnigerode, athletic officer, plans to chalk up another win for the Presidio soldiers. A full schedule of games has been prepared to keep the team busy until their entry in the 9th Corps Area tournament, starting Feb. 20.

CAV. QUINT DEFEATS ENGRS.

West Point (Special).—The Engineers took the short end of a 23 to 16 loss to the Cavalry after putting up a desperate five-man defensive. The game was played on the 14th and was one of the fastest games of the season. Both teams played great team work which made the game fast and interesting. The forwards for both teams were closely guarded and a field goal was made only through the cleverest deception. Cavalry line-up: C. White (rf); Fenter (lf); Benefield (c); Foote (rg); Brown (lg). Engineers line-up: Kling (rf); Phillips (rf); Rosielack (lf); Pearson (c); Williams (rg); Pajke (lg); Ergood (lg).

On Jan. 16, the Cavalry quint won the third of the post league series from the QMC by default.

To Beautify Ft. Benning

AS A part of the general plan of beautification of Ft. Benning which is under the direction of Maj. C. L. Steel, the planting of 150 laurel oak trees was completed recently. These trees are to replace a number of water oaks which have been removed or have died and will develop into large and attractive shade trees.

Maj. Steel's program contemplates the planting of approximately 2,000 trees comprising several varieties such as sweet gum, tulip, white oak, red oak, red maple, beech, and dogwood. Landscaping in the vicinities of the gymnasium, academic library, telephone exchange, and 29th Infantry Barracks has been partially completed.

Marine Corps Orders

Jan. 24

Lt. Col. H. O. Smith, detached MB, Norfolk NYd, Portsmouth, Va., to Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D. C., for duty and to Naval Hospital, Washington, for treatment.

Capt. R. J. Bartholemew, on Feb. 1st detached MB, NYd, Mare Island, Calif.; to Recruiting District of Portland, Ore.

Capt. W. W. Rogers, detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua, to MB, Quantico, Va., via first available Government conveyance.

1st Lt. R. H. Ridgely, detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua; to MB, NYd, Charleston, S. C., via first available Government conveyance.

1st Lt. P. A. Shiebler, detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua, to MB, Washington, D. C., via first available Government conveyance.

Jan. 27

Maj. A. B. Miller, assigned to duty at MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif.

Capt. J. E. Davis, detached AS, Second Brigade, Nicaragua; to Observation Squadron 9M, First Brigade, Haiti.

Capt. A. G. Rome, detached MB, NYd, Mare Island, Calif.; to Recruiting District of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio.

2nd Lt. J. S. Letcher, detached MB, Quantico, Va.; to MB, Norfolk Navy Yard, Portsmouth, Va.

The following named officers assigned to duty at MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif., awaiting transportation to the East Coast:

Capt. C. T. Brooks, 1st Lt. G. Hall, 1st Lt. J. M. Smith, 1st Lt. E. M. Calloway, 1st Lt. W. N. McKelvey.

Jan. 28

Capt. C. McL. Lott, about March 1st detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua; to Department of the Pacific, via first available Government conveyance.

2nd Lt. W. A. Hamilton, detached MB, NS, Cavite, P. I., to MB, NS, Olongapo, P. I.

Chf. Mar. Gnr. T. G. Laitseh, on February 24 detached MB, Parris Island, S. C.; to First Brigade, Haiti, via the USS Kittery, scheduled to sail from

Naval Aviation in 1929

RESIGNATION of fourteen naval aviators is one of the outstanding features of the records compiled of naval aviation statistics for the fiscal year 1929. Separation from the service of these highly trained fliers is an indication of the difficulties experienced in supplying and maintaining a sufficient number of pilots to meet the requirements of naval aviation.

Piling up a total of 219,540 hours in the air, Navy planes, exclusive of the Marine Corps planes, made a record of safety that is considered satisfactory in spite of the fact that there were 54 major crashes with 7 pilots killed in service planes. Much of the flying was done under extra hazardous conditions as of the total 81,950 hours are credited to the forces afloat, with 137,590 for the forces ashore.

A great deal of the sea operations was flying from the Lexington and Saratoga and the hazards were increased by the sustained operations in connection with the maneuvers off Panama in the early part of the year.

During the year there were in service an average of 513 naval aviators, 175 naval aviation pilots and 89 reserve naval aviators. Three naval aviators, one pilot and six reserve naval aviators were killed, three of the last class being killed in commercial planes. One naval aviator resigned and twenty-one pilots were separated from the service for various causes.

Army Orders

(Continued from page 516)

Medical Corps—Capt. M. R. Reiber, to Maj., Jan. 15; Capt. W. K. Turner, to Maj., Jan. 15.

Resignation

Resignation by 2nd Lt. M. H. Half, Cav., accepted.

Warrant Officer

Order amended to read Wmt. Offr. J. Donohue to duty as asst. property auditor, Fin. Office, USA, Seattle, Wash.

Hampton Roads, Va., on or about March 12.

Jan. 31, 1930

Maj. H. K. Pickett, relieved from detail as an Assistant Quartermaster.

Capt. W. W. Ashurst, detached MB, Quantico, Va.; to Asiatic Station via the SS President McKinley, scheduled to sail from San Francisco, Calif., on or about Feb. 23.

Capt. J. M. Bain, detached Nicaraguan National Guard, detachment to MB, Quantico, Va., via first available Government conveyance.

Capt. W. C. Barnaby, detached MB, NP, NYd, Portsmouth, N. H.; to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the USAT Cambrai, scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

Capt. W. B. Croka, detached Norfolk Navy Yard, Portsmouth, Va.; to Nicaraguan National Guard detachment, via the USAT Cambrai, scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

Capt. H. Pefley, detached MB, NYd, Philadelphia, Pa.; to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the USAT Cambrai, scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

1st Lt. R. E. Forsyth, detached MB, Quantico, Va.; to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the USAT Cambrai, scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

1st Lt. G. L. Maynard, detached MB, NAS, Lakehurst, N. J.; to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the USAT Cambrai, scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

2nd Lt. W. A. Reaves, detached MB, Quantico, Va.; to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the USAT Cambrai, scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

Chf. Pay Clk. W. B. Denison, detached MB, NYd, Boston, Mass.; to MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif., via the USAT Cambrai, scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

Mar. Gnr. J. H. Murphy, appointed a marine gunner and assigned to duty on Asiatic Station.

The following appointed second lieutenants and assigned to duty at the stations indicated:

J. Wehle, MB, Quantico, Va.; L. R. Tyler, W. P. Battell, MB, Norfolk NYd, Portsmouth, Va.; E. L. Lyman, MB, Quantico, Va.; J. P. Berkeley, MB, NYd, Philadelphia, Pa.; P. A. McDonald, MB, NYd, Boston, Mass.; A. D. Abel, MB, NOB, Hampton Roads, Va.; W. W. Childs, MB, NYd, New York, N. Y.; C. E. Shepard, Jr., MB, NYd, Philadelphia, Pa.; M. McG. Mahoney, MB, NYd, Charleston, S. C.

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OBITUARIES

Announcement of deaths should be addressed to Editorial Office, Army and Navy Journal, Architects Building, Washington, D. C.

REAR ADM. WILLIAM WIRT KIMBALL, USN, ret., died at his home, in Washington, D. C., on Jan. 26, 1930, suddenly from heart disease, at the age of 82.

One of the oldest retired officers in the service, Adm. Kimball had had a long and distinguished career in the Navy. He was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1869 and served continuously from that time until 1910, when he was retired.

He designed, constructed and operated the first armed cars used by the United States. He assisted in the occupation of the Isthmus of Panama in 1865 and in the 90's was active in submarine development.

He was commanding officer on nine different ships, was awarded a Spanish-American War medal, and wrote many magazine articles. During the World War he was recalled to active duty as president of the board for examination of officers and as officer in charge of the Historical section, office of operations. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Esther Spencer Kimball.

Temporary interment will be at Arlington Cemetery and later the body will be removed to Adm. Kimball's old home at Old Bricke, Me., for burial.

Lt. Col. Edward R. Morris, USA, ret., died Jan. 23, 1930, at Lakewood, Ohio. He was born in Spencerville, Ind., Dec. 8, 1856. He received an M. D. at Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, in 1881 and served in the Federal Service as Acting Army Surgeon from June 11, 1884, to Oct. 1, 1885. He was appointed Army Surgeon Sept. 17, 1885 and was promoted to a captaincy in September, 1890.

Col. Morris served in the Spanish-American War as major, Brigade Surgeon, from June 4, 1898 to the date of his honorable discharge, Dec. 31, 1899. He was appointed Major Surgeon in Feb. 1901, and Major, Medical Corps, Feb. 2, 1901. Col. Morris was retired for disability in line of duty with the rank of lieutenant colonel Feb. 26, 1909 and was placed on active duty July 25, 1917 to April 1, 1919.

He lived at the Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, D. C., and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Grace E. Morris, who lives at the above address.

The oldest retired officer in the Army, Brig. Gen. David Stuart Gordon, USA, ret., died Jan. 28, 1930, at Takoma Park, Md., at a private sanitarium.

Gen. Gordon had been suffering many months from the infirmities of advanced age. He was 97 years of age, and had lived four more days he would have attained the oldest age ever reached by an officer of the Army. Twenty years ago Gen. Daniel H. Rucker died at the age of 97 years, 8 months and 8 days. Gen. Gordon had lived 97 years, 8 months and 5 days.

Gen. Gordon was the last survivor of the famous Frontier Guards, was twice captured by Confederates during the Civil War and served with distinction in many of the battles of the war between the States. He was retired 34 years ago from the active list of the Army and on April 23, 1904, was advanced to the rank of brigadier general, retired.

At the end of the Civil War, Gen. Gordon served in the Indian campaigns on the then wild frontier in the West, serving with Buffalo Bill Cody at Ft. Leavenworth. He engaged in active service and campaigned with Crook, Custer and other famous Indian fighters. He was a member of the unit which was sent to punish the Sioux for the massacre of Custer and his men.

Gen. Gordon was born May 23, 1832, in Franklin County, near Greencastle, Pa. He was appointed a second lieutenant in the 2nd Dragoons, April 10, 1861. Within two months he attained the rank of first lieutenant. He opened the first fight at Fairfax Court House, June 1, 1861, and served through the war.

He is survived by a son, a daughter and a stepson.

Rear Adm. Thomas Snowden, USN, ret., Division and Squadron Commander of the Atlantic Fleet during the World War, and later military governor of Santo Domingo, died, Jan. 27, 1930, after a long illness, at his home in Washington, D. C., at the age of 73.

Adm. Snowden, who received many decorations during his Naval service, numbered among his citations the Navy Cross, given for his distinguished service during the World War, and the cross of the order of "El Sol de Peru."

When this country entered the World War he was appointed Rear Admiral and served in this capacity until February, 1929, when he was appointed military governor of Santo Domingo. He also held the position of United States military representative in Haiti. He held this position until June, 1919, when ill health forced him to relinquish it. He was then assigned to the General Board for duty. He was retired in August, 1921, having reached the statutory age limit.

He was born in Peekskill, N. Y., in August, 1857, and was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1883. In his Naval career he served more than 23 years on the sea and was on shore duty for nearly 20 years. During his active term he served at the Asiatic Station, U. S. Naval Observatory, Pacific Station, Naval Academy, Naval War College, and Naval Intelligence Office, and many other assignments.

He is survived by his wife, a son and three brothers and two sisters.

Interment was made with full military honors, Jan. 30, 1930, at Arlington National Cemetery.

Lt. Comdr. Henry Niemann, CEC, USN, died at the Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C., on Jan. 21, 1930, after an illness of several months.

Lt. Comdr. Niemann was graduated from Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1925 and from Harvard University in 1916. He entered the Service in June 1917, and was assigned to duty at the Naval Operating Base, Hampton Roads, as Assistant to the Public Works Officer. He subsequently performed duty at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station and the Norfolk Yard. From February 1924 until May 1926 he was Public Works Officer of the Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, following which he was on duty at the Norfolk Navy Yard, Assistant to the Public Works Officer for approximately two years. At the time of his death he was Public Works Officer of the Navy Yard, Charleston, S. C.

Lt. Comdr. Niemann was a very high type of loyal and efficient officer. He was well thought of by his superiors and associates, and had been highly commended for the work which he was doing at the Charleston Navy Yard. His death is a severe loss to the Navy, and in particular, to the Corps of Civil Engineers.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Clara W. Niemann and three children.

"Undersea Speaker"

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cident to its lowering to extreme depths.

Tests have been completed which have been very satisfactory. A number of the devices are now being assembled and will be placed on all submarine rescue vessels within a short time. If funds are available submarine tenders will also be so equipped with the apparatus.

Experiments were first conducted at the Washington Navy Yard, where the apparatus was submerged in a tank and subjected to great pressures, equal to any depth at which it may be used. Later actual tests were carried out at New London, Conn., with the S-4, the Navy's experimental hulk and with other submarines in actual service. In these trials communication was carried on at a depth of 200 feet, which was as low as it was desired to send the submarines.

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Births, Marriages and Deaths

BORN

GRANUM—Born at Seaside Hospital, Long Beach, Calif., Jan. 27, 1930, to Lt. Alfred M. Granum, USN, and Mrs. Granum a son.

JUDSON—Born to Ens. and Mrs. S. E. Judson, a son, Jan. 9, 1930, at the Haven-swee Hospital, Chicago, Ill.

NOBLE—Born at Columbia Hospital, Washington, D. C., Jan. 21, 1930, to Lt. Charles H. Noble, Cav., USA, and Mrs. Noble, a son, Charles Henry Noble, Jr.

STORKE—Born to Lt. and Mrs. Harry P. Storke on Jan. 11, a daughter, Lois Mariebelle, at the Highsmith Hospital, Fayetteville, N. C.

MARRIED

JONES-BUCHANAN—Married at the Church of the Angels, Los Angeles, Calif., January 14, 1930, Miss Frances H. Buchanan to Ens. George Lorain Jones, USN, on duty at the Naval Station in Pensacola, Fla.

NEVILLE-TALBUT—Married Jan. 13, 1930, Capt. Fred T. Neville, USA, and Mrs. Nell Talbut, at the home of Lt. and Mrs. Lester Watson, Dunkalk, Md. Chap. J. Monroe Stick officiated.

RIGGS-STOCKTON—Married in the chapel of St. Jones-by-the-Sea, La Jolla, Calif., Jan. 25, 1930, Miss Edith F. Stockton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Stockton, to Ens. J. Clark Riggs, Jr., USN, of Battle Creek, Mich.

SMITH-BLASLAND—Married at Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 26, 1929, Miss Margaret Osgood Blasland, daughter of Lt. Col. Dexter Blasland, USA, ret., and Mrs. Blasland, to Hudson Kendall Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Smith of Hollywood and Fayette County, W. Va.

STRINGER-FREIRICH—Married at Pacific Coast Club, Los Angeles, Calif., recently, Miss Odrea Freirich, daughter of Mrs. Elsie Freirich, Long Beach, Calif., to Ens. Guy W. Stringer, USN, attached to USS New Mexico.

WEAVER-MYERS—Married at Gallup, N. M., Jan. 12, 1930, Maj. William G. Weaver, USA, and Miss Dorothy Meyers, at the home of the bride's mother. The ceremony was performed by Dr. V. A. Rule, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Phoenix.

DIED

ADAMS—Died at Los Angeles, Calif., Jan. 19, 1930, Mrs. Bobbie A. Adams, widow of former Commander-in-Chief Clarendon E. Adams, of the GAR.

BEEBE—Died at Burlington, Vt., Jan. 23, 1930, Mrs. C. L. Beebe, mother of Lt. Col. R. E. Beebe, Inf., USA, Mrs. C. G. Winslow, Ypsilanti, Mich., and Mrs. W. O. Brewer, Plainfield, N. J.

CARPENTER—Died at St. Petersburg, Fla., Jan. 21, 1930, F. H. Carpenter, Brookline, Mass., brother of Mrs. George W. Gatchell, wife of Col. Tachell, USA, ret.

DENT—Died Jan. 23, 1930, at her home in Ft. Humphreys, Va., Miss Edith Dent, sister of Lt. Col. E. J. Dent, USA.

DEUTERMANN—Died at White Plains, N. Y., Jan. 19, 1930, Mr. William X. Deutermann, father of Lt. (jg) W. V. Deutermann, USN; Lt. George J. Deutermann, USA, and Ens. H. T. Deutermann, USN.

FINNEY—Died at Washington, D. C., Jan. 29, 1930, Lt. Col. John Heth Finney, who served during the World War with the 30th Div., 105th Engrs., father of Minna Booker Finney and Mrs. Paul W. Evans, wife of Maj. Evans, assistant military attache at London.

GORDON—Died Jan. 28, at a private sanitarium at Takoma Park, Md., Brig. Gen. David Stuart Gordon, USA, ret., at the age of 97. He is survived by his daughter, a son, and a stepson.

KIMBALL—Died suddenly Jan. 26, 1930, at his home in Washington, D. C., from heart disease, Rear Adm. William Wirt Kimball, USN, ret., at the age of 82. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Esther Spencer Kimball.

KINGMAN—Died at Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., Jan. 23, 1930, at the age of 66 years, Mrs. George M. Kingman, mother of Maj. Allen F. Kingman, Inf., USA, and Mr. Metcalf Kingman of New Bedford, Mass.

MITCHELL—Died Jan. 24, 1930, at his residence in Washington, D. C., Edward A. Mitchell, father of Lt. Comdr. E. A. Mitchell, USN.

MORRIS—Died at the Westlake Hotel, Lakewood, O., Jan. 23, 1930, Lt. Col. Edward R. Morris, USA, ret. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Grace E. Morris.

NIEMANN—Died at the Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C., Jan. 21, 1930, Lt. Comdr. Henry Niemann, CEC, USN.

ROMMEL—Died Jan. 9, 1930, at New York City, Comdr. Charles E. Rommell, USN, ret.

RICE—Died at Colorado Springs, Colo., Jan. 14, 1930, Lt. Rice Kemper McClanahan, MC, USN, ret.

ROSS—Died at Richmond, Ind., Jan. 21, 1930, Mrs. William H. Ross, mother of Comdr. Charles C. Ross, USN.

SCHEIDE—Died Jan. 20, 1930, following pneumonia, Ens. Edward C. Scheide, USNFR, son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Scheide of Hartford, Conn.

SNOWDEN—Died Jan. 27, 1930, at his home in Washington, D. C., Rear Adm. Thomas Snowden, USN, ret., at the age of 73. He is survived by his wife, a son, and three brothers and two sisters. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery.

TAYLOR—Died Jan. 27, 1930, at his residence in Washington, D. C., Maj. Gen. Harry Taylor, USA, ret. He is survived by his wife. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery, Jan. 29, 1930.

Mrs. Kahn's Article

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there may be no necessity for the maintenance of a great war-strength army in time of peace.

"When the Army reorganization act of June 4, 1920, was drawn it authorized a strength of 17,725 commissioned officers for the regular or permanent Military Establishment. This number of officers was designedly far more than would be needed simply to supply officers for the various tactical organizations of the Army or for its normal peace-time administration and overhead. But it was recognized that the commissioned personnel is the only permanent part of the Regular Army, as the enlisted men come and go with their varying terms of enlistment. It was the philosophy of the law that a number of officers varying with the needs of the time would be detailed to duty with troops or for administration and overhead, that other would be sent to the various service schools of the Army, others still to various duties and responsibilities which are by law placed under the War Department, such as rivers and harbors work, for one instance, and that the body of commissioned officers remaining would be utilized in the various agencies concerned in the training of civilians and civilian or non-professional military organizations as already indicated. It was the idea of the law that the officers would be kept in circulation throughout these activities, serving for a period with troops; then perhaps going to a service school to acquire additional proficiency in their profession; then detailed once more to some administration, staff, or other overhead duty; then to the agencies of civilian training if fitted for that particular duty; and so on, roundabout, going back to troops frequently in order always to be close in touch with the actual Army and its everyday life and necessities.

"It is the theory of the law that experience in these duties is essential to the Army and that officers in peace time should not only be trained in line duties but in administration, staff work, and similar responsibilities which experience shows will instantly be enormously enlarged and complicated upon the outbreak of a war and the raising of millions of men in citizen armies to take the field. It is the theory of the law, moreover, that while the small number of regular officers maintained over and above the exact requirements of the number of troops in the peace-time standing army can not be anywhere near sufficient to fill the higher grades in a war-time army, it is a number that will go some way by sprinkling through the great wartime army and helping to leaven the whole lump with some of the necessary ideas of military science and discipline, fill many of the most responsible high commands for which a sufficient number of citizen soldiers are not then prepared, and in general help raise, equip, and train the soldiers of the war-time army during the organization period, as was demonstrated during the recent war. These and many other similar details will at once suggest themselves as being most important functions for the commissioned personnel of the Regular Establishment in such an emergency, when a whole nation of ordinarily peace-loving and non-military people must be hurriedly put in shape for war.

"It is not correct to say that in proportion as the enlisted strength of an army is reduced its overhead may also be reduced. There is about so much overhead required anyway for an army of any strength. Besides, it is regarded as very urgent that officers should have training in administration and staff duties as well as in duties pertaining strictly to the line, because the war-time army needs tremendous administration overheads and increase in staff corps. One of the most emphasized lessons of the World War was our lack of training in military staff functions.

"In attempting to estimate the number of commissioned officers necessary to an army it is a mistake to divide the number of enlisted men by the total number of officers and then to argue that we have an army made up of (Please turn to Page 527)

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Weddings

THE wedding of Miss Dorothy Meyers, only daughter of Mrs. Fred Meyers of Gallup, N. M., to Maj. William G. Weaver, USA, was solemnized Jan. 12, 1930, at the home of the bride's mother, with only Mrs. Meyers and an uncle of the bride.

The bride was lovely in a chiffon gown of periwinkle blue, her flowers being an exquisite corsage of bride's roses and blue delphinium.

She was educated at the Chevy Chase School for Girls, Washington, D. C., and later studied vocal music under the best masters in New York City.

Maj. Weaver, the bridegroom, is from Louisville, Ky., and is at present detached from his regiment and detailed as senior instructor of the Arizona National Guard with headquarters at Phoenix. During the World War Maj. Weaver was with the Third Division. He was decorated by the French, receiving the Croix de Guerre and he was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross by his own country.

A reception was given by Mrs. Meyers in honor of Maj. and Mrs. Weaver, in order that their many friends might have the opportunity of greeting them.

Maj. and Mrs. Weaver will make their home in Phoenix for the present.

Lt. Col. Harry Dexter Blasland, USA, ret., and Mrs. Blasland, announce the marriage of their daughter, Mar-

SERVICE SOCIAL NEWS

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Engagements

THE engagement has been announced of Miss Agnes Eleanor O'Connor of Washington, D. C., daughter of Patrick L. O'Connor of Wellsville, N. Y., and Lt. Apollo Goucek, USN, holder of the world's altitude record for seaplanes.

Miss O'Connor is in charge of publicity work at the Veterans Bureau at Washington, D. C. She was graduated from New Rochelle College, N. Y., in 1924. The wedding is expected to take place in June.

Garet Osgood, to Hudson Kendall Smith, Thursday noon, Dec. 26, at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Smythe of Los Angeles, Calif. Rev. Charles E. Murphy of Amanda Chapel officiated.

The house was beautifully decorated with yuletide hangings, red forming color note for the living room where the bridal group stood before an altar of flowers and ferns.

Mrs. Harry Hoagland Blodgett played the bridal music. There were (Please turn to page 526)

Personals

THE Secretary of War and Mrs. Patrick J. Hurley were the guests in whose honor the Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. F. Trubee Davison entertained at dinner Jan. 27, in the Chinese room of the Mayflower.

Included in the company were Gen. and Mrs. Charles P. Summerall and the members of the Senate Military Affairs Committee.

Col. Stanley H. Ford, GSC, USA, left Washington on Jan. 21, for an official trip to Honolulu and Manila. He will stop at Chinwangtao to see his son Lt. Hamer Ford, who will be married to Miss Alexa Byrne, of Grand Rapids, Mich., on March 1, at Tientsin. Miss Byrne left recently for China accompanied by her parents.

Col. Ford will return in April.

Lt. Charles H. Noble, Cav., USA, of Ft. Myer, Va., and Mrs. Noble announce the birth of a son, Charles Henry Noble, Jr., born Tuesday, January 21, 1930, at Columbia Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Noble (nee Elsie Louise Pancoast) is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pancoast of San Antonio, Texas. Mr. Pancoast, now retired, was formerly district commissioner and engineer for San Antonio and Bexar County, Texas. Mrs. Pancoast is prominent in San Antonio and is the president of a number of women's clubs in that city.

Lt. Noble is a member of an old army family. Ancestors on both sides having been in the U. S. Army since the Revolution. His father was the late Brig. Gen. Charles H. Noble, Inf. Mrs. Mary Palmer Noble, widow of Gen. Noble, resides at 2116 Kalorama Road, N. W., Wash., D. C. An uncle, Col. Bruce Palmer, Cav., is assistant commandant at the Cavalry School, Ft. Riley, Kansas. Another uncle, Col. Guy Palmer, retired, is in charge of the ROTC unit at the University of Southern California, in Los Angeles.

Adm. Hsi Kuei Tu, of the Chinese Navy arrived in New York on Tuesday evening, Jan. 28, from Hartford Conn. On Wednesday, Jan. 29, Adm. Tu with his staff and Mr. Samuel S. Yung, Chinese Consul General, visited the Brooklyn Navy Yard and were shown the various activities which are carried on at that station. On Thursday, Jan. 30, the party was taken to Ft. Hancock, N. J., by motor, where they visited the post and made an inspection of the defenses. The party spent Friday in viewing the sights of New York, prior to sailing late Friday evening, for Europe.

Gen. Leon A. Matile, USA, who retired from active service in 1903, was a visitor in Washington this week. He arrived Jan. 21 and on Jan. 28 returned to his home in Plainfield, N. J. He attended the dinner given by the veterans of Indian Wars.

At a luncheon meeting given by the Mid-Day Luncheon Club of Springfield, Ill., at the Leland Hotel, in that city, on Wednesday, Jan. 23, 1930, Rear Adm. Walter S. Crosley, USN, Commandant of the Ninth Naval District and of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, was the guest of honor and speaker. Prior to the luncheon meeting, a reception was held for Adm. Crosley at the Leland Hotel, at which a number of prominent citizens of Springfield, forming a committee, assembled. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. V. Y. Dallman gave a dinner party at the Hotel Abraham Lincoln in honor of Adm. Crosley.

Ens. and Mrs. S. E. Judson have announced the birth of a son, who was born Jan. 9, 1930, at the Ravenswood Hospital, Chicago, Ill.

The birth of a daughter, Lois Marie-belle, to Lt. and Mrs. Harry P. Storke on Jan. 11, 1930, at Fayetteville, N. C., has been announced.

Following is a list of officers who sailed from Honolulu for San Francisco on the USAT Somme Jan. 22, 1930, showing dates of the expiration of tour of foreign services in case of each officer returning on that account:

Col. Edward T. Hartmann, Inf., DOL, returning to station.
Lt. Col. George C. Charlton, Inf.,

Naval Reserves Meet

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rine Corps Reserve Officers' Association, was a guest at the dinner and one of the principal speakers. Rear Adm. Richard Leigh, USN, and Rear Adm. Luke McNamee, USN, were honor guests and speakers. Among the other guests were Capt. S. C. Hooper, USN; Capt. A. W. Johnson, USN; Capt. Charles Blakely, USN; and Comdr. Riley F. McConnell, USN.

Among the resolutions adopted by the association was one recommending the consideration of retirement with pay of Naval Reserve officers on active duty in a manner similar to that of the retirement of officers of the regular service of the same rank and length of service.

Another resolution opposed the transfer of Reserve officers from one class of the Reserve to another for the sole purpose of quickening promotion, while another endorsed the bill now before Congress to lower the minimum age limit for enlistment in the Naval Reserve to 17 years. The convention recommended the adoption by the Navy Department of a standard for small arms practice for the Fleet Division of the Naval Reserve, and a standard short range battle practice for the target practice of the Fleet Division in place of the present modified system.

With the view of making the annual training cruises of the reserve more attractive and instructive, it was recommended that a change in itinerary be made, as the prevalence of fog in the area in which cruises during the past three or four years have been made, was believed to have seriously interfered with their best results.

About 20 of the Reserve officers attending the convention also were ordered to the Bureau of Navigation conference, which has been held this week at the department. Part of these officers complete this duty today, while officers of the Communication Reserve continue for an additional week's assignment.

Annual Tournament Slated

Governors Island (Special)—The Army Relief Society, Governors Island Section, will have its annual military tournament here on June 20 and 21. This will be its only large function in the Metropolitan Area for the purpose of raising funds.

Jan. 22.
Maj. William C. Whitmore, MG, May 18.
1st Lt. Raymond R. Brown, AG, Jan. 18.
1st Lt. Eugene McGinley, FA, Jan. 22.
1st Lt. Clint L. Taylor, FA, March 1.
1st Lt. George W. McPike, AC, leave.
1st Lt. G. Arthur Hadsell, Inf., leave.
2nd Lt. Lee B. Washbourne, CE, leave.

Following are the officers who sailed for San Francisco on the USAT Chateau Thierry, leaving Honolulu Jan. 22, 1930, showing date of the expiration of tour of foreign service in case of each officer returning on that account:

Lt. Col. Raymond S. Bamberger, AGD, June 14.
Maj. Daniel Franklin, MC, May 21.
Capt. Frederick T. Gundry, FA, Jan. 22.
2nd Lt. Marvin W. Peck, Inf., Jan. 22.
Following returning proper station:
Maj. Stewart W. Stanley, SC.
Capt. Jerome Pickett, Inf.
Capt. Eugene N. Slappey, Inf.
Capt. John R. Fountain, Inf.
Capt. John W. Blue, Inf.
1st Lt. Hugh M. Wilson, Jr., Inf.
1st Lt. William D. McNair.
2nd Lt. John L. Hines, Jr., Cav.
Lt. Col. E. J. Ely, FD, leave.
Lt. Col. Lewis Turtle, CA, leave.
Maj. E. J. Atkisson, retired, leave.
Maj. Z. L. Henry, MC, leave.
Maj. D. M. Roberts, MC, leave.
Maj. Gaston W. Rogers, MC, leave.
Maj. Fred M. Green, CA, leave.
1st Lt. Thomas A. Hoy, Inf., leave.
2nd Lt. William L. McNamee, CA, leave.
2nd Lt. John R. Lovell, CA, leave.

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Shopping for Service Folk By Olivia Moreland Lloyd

Some people are planning an early vacation and here are a few suggestions for the traveling outfit. The trim tailleur is of course the basis of such an ensemble. Pumps are again popular with a close rival in lizard ties. A bag to match the latter is smart. A tweed suit would seem almost indispensable and with lingerie touches of softness, nothing is prettier. The new hats are still severe but a bit relieved by small brims and inserts of straw; stockings and gloves can be found to match all tweeds and the new ones are a joy to behold.

FANCY the thrill one feels with the pleasant prospect of a journey abroad especially in these days of efficiency when one does not have to plan, figure out expenses, or select their steamer. ITS ALL DONE SO COMPLETELY by the C. C. Drake Co. They point out places one never dreams of but should see. On June the 28th the S. S. Rotterdam sails from New York. The tour lasts 57 days and one has a glimpse of England, Scotland, Holland, Belgium, Germany, Switzerland, Italy and France all for \$685.00. Naples, on the edge of the blue Mediterranean is included. The glamor of the Magician's unreal tricks attracts for the moment, and when it is clear, the whole city sings Verdi until another deluge helps to give them a much needed bath. The rest of the itinerary is worth while.

WOMAN'S greatest asset is CHARM and possessed only when perfectly groomed and well groomed. Wraps and dresses at A Weiss, 1222 Connecticut Avenue, bear the note of art and are as modern quite, as the scheme of their handsome establishment. Don't forget your waist-line is of paramount importance and that each and every creation bought from them is not only superior in quality but shows something one can not vision and which Paris alone can design. Paris can produce models in such a way as to find a "waist-line" if there is a semblance of one left.

AT THE COPPER BOWL so centrally located on Twelfth Street, SHOPPERS and BUSINESS people will find positive solace in delicious food. A juicy steak flanked with lattice potatoes, other succulent vegetables and golden crisp corn fritters (you eat until its hard to keep count of 'em) drive away your blues. There, a fragrant cup of afternoon tea seems to knit a gathering of diverse individuals into a cordial company. The open grate in The Copper Bowl adds much to the attractive surroundings.

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ARMY

WEST POINT, N. Y.
Feb. 1, 1930.

ON Sunday, Gilbert Miller's production "Journey's End," with the New York cast was presented in a matinee performance before the Corps of Cadets in Culum Memorial Hall. The play was brought here through the courtesy of Gilbert Miller and the members of the cast. Before the performance the members of the cast were taken to lunch at the Cadet Mess.

Mrs. S. Victor Stanley, Mrs. Colin Keith-Johnson, Mrs. Eric Stanley and Mrs. Henry Wenman, wives of members of the cast accompanied the players and were the guests of honor at a luncheon given at the Officer's Club by Lt. W. Mason Wright, Jr.

Following the presentation of the play, Capt. and Mrs. Edward W. Timberlake entertained with a tea at their quarters for Mr. Gilbert Miller members of the cast, their wives and Mr. Alexander Wolcott, the dramatic critic. Among those invited to meet them were Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William R. Smith and Miss Katharine Smith, Col. and Mrs. Warren W. Whiteside and Miss Lillian Whiteside, Col. and Mrs. M. A. W. Shockley.

Col. and Mrs. Lucius H. Holt had dining with them on Wednesday, Lt. and Mrs. Richard P. Owenshine, Lt. and Mrs. Harold A. Meyer and Lt. and Mrs. Robert E. Blair.

Col. and Mrs. Clifton C. Carter entertained at dinner recently for Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William R. Smith, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Chauncey L. Fenton, and Maj. and Mrs. Glen E. Edgerton.

Maj. and Mrs. Harold E. Miner entertained Friday at dinner followed by bridge.

Maj. and Mrs. Thomas A. Terry had ten guests for dinner on Tuesday.

Maj. and Mrs. Hubert R. Harmon gave a dinner on Tuesday.

On Thursday, Maj. and Mrs. Hubert R. Harmon had dining with them Col. and Mrs. M. A. W. Shockley, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Clayton E. Wheat, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Chauncey L. Fenton, and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Otto L. Brunzell.

Col. and Mrs. Clifton C. Carter entertained at dinner on Saturday, Mrs. John Buchanan of Warrenton, Va., Chap. and Mrs. Arthur B. Kinsolving and Cadet Marshall Carter.

Mrs. Harriet P. Rogers and Miss Lucy Hodges Mercer gave a second of a series of teas on Friday afternoon at the Hotel Thayer.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Walter K. Wilson were hosts at dinner on Friday to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Frank W. Holliday, Maj. and Mrs. Thomas E. Scott, Jesse I. Sloat and Alvin I. Guttensohn.

Capt. and Mrs. Frank L. Carr gave a dinner on Thursday for Maj. and Mrs. Homer M. Croninger, Maj. and Mrs. Fredric W. Boye, Capt. William H. W. Reinburg and Lt. and Mrs. Cornelius C. Jadin.

Mrs. James F. Torrence, Jr., gave a bridge luncheon at her home in Highland Falls on Tuesday.

Mrs. James F. Torrence, Jr., honored her guests, Mrs. James F. Torrence, mother of Lt. Torrence and Mrs. H. E. Reed of West Orange, N. J., with a dinner on Saturday. Bridge was played following dinner.

Mrs. William W. Beasel entertained informally at dinner on Saturday, Mrs. Estelle Hertford, mother of Mrs. Albert E. Tanner, Lt. and Mrs. Albert N. Tanner and Lt. and Mrs. Francis J. Wilson.

Lt. and Mrs. Robert W. Berry entertained at dinner recently at their home in Highland Falls.

Mrs. Frank W. James, wife of Congressman Frank W. James, Chairman of the Military Affairs Committee, passed the week end as the guest of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William R. Smith.

Mrs. John Buchanan, of Warrenton, Va., has been the guest of Chap. and Mrs. Arthur B. Kinsolving.

Mr. F. H. Schuyler, of Montclair, N. J., passed the week-end with his son and daughter-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Courtland V. R. Schuyler, in Highland Falls.

Mr. Raymond S. Pruitt, of Chicago, Ill., has been the guest of Lt. and Mrs. Donald A. Fay.

Col. and Mrs. Rex H. Rhodes have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tenney Johnson of Los Angeles, Calif.

FT. BARRANCAS, FLA.
Jan. 28, 1930.

LT. COL. AND MRS. HARTMAN L. BUTLER, entertained Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Frank R. McCoy, Maj. and Mrs. Louis A. Milne and Lt. William S. Bidle, III, at luncheon at their quarters Monday, Jan. 27. The luncheon followed a reception to Gen. and Mrs. McCoy given, at Gorgas Hall at 12:30 p. m., by the officers and ladies of Ft. Barrancas. The prescribed honors were rendered at the arrival of Gen. McCoy. After the inspection of the escort, which consisted of 13th C. A. Band, and Batteries A and B, the General inspected the Barracks and Mess hall of Battery

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A 13th C. A., commanded by Capt. J. J. Maher. Following the visit to Battery A, the general accompanied by Lt. Col. H. L. Butler, Maj. C. K. Wing, and Lt. W. F. Steer, made a hasty and superficial inspection of Fts. Pickens and McKee. He contemplates visiting Ft. Morgan, Ala., a sub-post of the Harbor Defenses of Pensacola, on the trip. Weather permitting the general accompanied by Lt. Col. H. L. Butler will fly to Ft. Morgan in Naval Seaplane, if weather is unfavorable they will make the trip via Junior Mine Planter "Maj. Albert G. Jenkins." Gen. and Mrs. McCoy are guests of Mr. William H. Knowles and his daughter, Mrs. Joseph L. Seligman at Harbourview, Pensacola, Fla.

Mrs. J. D. Brown was hostess to the Ft. Barrancas ladies bridge club Friday afternoon, Jan. 17. Among those attending were Mrs. Fenton G. Epling, Mrs. Mary Loupret, Mrs. A. S. Baron, Mrs. L. A. Milne, Mrs. Patrick Henry, Jr., Mrs. George Kelley, Mrs. F. N. Parsons, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. W. F. Steer, and Mrs. William E. Ryan.

Lt. and Mrs. Albert S. Baron left on two month's leave for Nicaragua where they will visit at the home of the bride's parents.

Lt. Col. H. L. Butler, accompanied by Maj. L. A. Milne, MC, and Lt. F. N. Parsons, motored to Ft. Morgan, Jan. 24, to inspect the quarters, ordnance property, and the work now being done by a detachment of men who have been there for the past seven days. A supply of fresh vegetables, fruit and meat were taken to the men. The inspection party returned the same day arriving at Ft. Barrancas about 8:30 p. m.

Capt. William E. Ryan, Coast Artillery Reserve Officer, is undergoing a month's training on an inactive duty status at Ft. Barrancas, Fla., at the end of which he will apply for two weeks additional training on an active duty status. Capt. Ryan is a graduate of the USMA class of 1920. He resigned in August 1922, to settle his father's estate and has been in the Officer's Reserve Corps since that time. Mrs. Ryan is enjoying the Florida weather as compared to the Buffalo, N. Y., weather.

Capt. Charles A. Valverde, 13th CA (Inf.), completed a four-year detail to the CA, and left this station Jan. 24 on three months' leave prior to reporting for duty at Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

FT. BLISS, TEX.
Jan. 25, 1930

MAJ. AND MRS. JOHN J. BOHN were hosts at dinner in their quarters Tuesday for Capt. and Mrs. Giles Merrill, Capt. and Mrs. Joseph Denton and Capt. and Mrs. Royce P. Gerfen.

Lt. and Mrs. William C. Price returned to Ft. Bliss Sunday from an extended leave spent in the east.

Mrs. E. W. Kieffer of Cheyenne, Wyo., who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Edwards, and Lt. Edwards of the 8th Cavalry, is the inspiration for a number of interesting parties. Mrs. William H. Chambers' courtesy for Mrs. Kieffer was a luncheon-bridge in the Chambers quarters in Austin Terrace Thursday. Guests in addition to Mrs. Kieffer and Mrs. Edwards included Mesdames Harold Thompson, Carl Halla, David Hogan, Lester Ingram and Elmer Alquist.

Capt. and Mrs. Clyde B. Garrison have issued invitations for a dinner in their quarters Sunday, complimenting Mrs. Kieffer. Their guests will be Mrs. Kieffer, Lt. and Mrs. Edwards, Col. and Mrs. William H. Chambers, Maj. and Mrs. William R. Campbell, Capt. and Mrs. Andrew J. Wynne, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Ogden of El Paso; Capt. and Mrs. Lester W. Ingram and Capt. and Mrs. Royce P. Gerfen.

A number of other affairs are being planned for Mrs. Kieffer, including a dinner given by Capt. and Mrs. Lester Ingram at an early date.

Lt. and Mrs. Scott Riggs have returned from their wedding trip to Arizona and are at home at present with the bridegroom's father, Col. Kerr T. Riggs. They will later occupy quarters No. 501.

Mrs. William R. Campbell is issuing invitations for a tea in her quarters Jan. 31, complimenting Mrs. Gerald D. France, wife of Maj. France, MC, who has recently been assigned to duty at Ft. Bliss.

Maj. and Mrs. Phillip H. Sherwood announce the birth of a daughter, Rosamond Cynthia, at William Beaumont hospital, Sunday, Jan. 19.

Col. William H. Moncrief, commandant of William Beaumont hospital, is in Washington, D. C., having accompanied Brig. Gen. Charles J. Symmonds, who recently left Ft. Bliss to enter Walter Reed hospital.

FT. T. E. WARREN, WYO.
Jan. 24, 1930

THE dinner-dance given Tuesday evening, Jan. 21, at Headquarters, Ft. Francis E. Warren, under the direction of the officers and ladies of the staff, was tremendously successful, and the program presented by the entertainment committee disclosed much local talent hitherto unsuspected. Lt. Walter C. Stanton acted as master of ceremonies. Dinner at 7 o'clock was served in the ballroom, the tables being lavishly decorated with low baskets of daffodils, freesias and vari-hued roses combined with ferns, and with wreaths of smilax running the length of the tables, from the central basket of flowers and greenery.

The program offered for the diversion of the dinner guests took the form of an "International Cruise" aboard the steamship "Merry-Maker." With the anchor pulled frequently for the enjoyment of "shore-leave" at points in Japan, Egypt, Italy, Spain, Ireland, Germany and old New York.

The manner in which the program was presented and the cooperation and enthusiasm displayed by the participants was remarkable, and indicates the splendid morale and esprit-de-corps of the members of the military garrison.

The work of Lt. Stanton and Lt. G. W. Read, Jr., cannot be too highly commended. Their efforts were untiring to make the party Tuesday night the pronounced success it was. Every member of the cast deserves praise and commendation and the admiring audience gave the show a big hand.

Many dinner parties had been arranged; among them one with covers laid for 32, of which Gen. C. R. Howland, commanding officer of Ft. Warren, was the host. His guests included Mayor Cal Holliday and Mrs. Holliday, R. L. Ramay, adjutant general of Wyoming and Mrs. Ramay; W. G. Haas, postmaster of Cheyenne and Mrs. Haas. Others entertaining dinner guests were Capt. M. C. Martin and Mrs. Martin, Lt. Lee W. Haney and Mrs. Haney, Chap. (Capt.) O. O. Purdy and Mrs. Purdy, Capt. John L. Stanley and Mrs. Stanley and Capt. Hugh Adair and Mrs. Adair.

FT. DOUGLAS, UTAH
Jan. 23, 1930

LAST Friday night Col. and Mrs. H. C. Price entertained at dinner in their quarters. They had as their guests Col. and Mrs. J. E. Morris, Col. and Mrs. A. H. Davidson, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Copley Enos, all of Salt Lake City.

Mrs. W. F. Dean, wife of Lt. W. F. Dean, returned Friday from a two weeks vacation spent in San Diego, Calif.

Lt. and Mrs. W. J. Muller, and Lt. and Mrs. C. C. Cavender, entertained about 70 guests last Friday at dinner in the Officers' Club. Valentine decorations were used. The tables were resplendent with candles, valentine hearts and cut flowers. After the dinner all the guests attended the post hop.

1st Lt. Grant A. Selby, Dental-RES., has been ordered here on temporary duty pending the arrival of Maj. Oliver J. Christiansen, D. C., who is coming here from Tripler General Hospital, Hawaiian Islands.

Lt. and Mrs. C. F. Fletter were hosts Sunday night in their quarters at dinner to a small party of friends.

The commanding officer, Col. H. C. Price, Capt. Harry W. Caygill, and Chap. T. L. Kelly, attended the annual meeting of the Red Cross, as representatives of the Post, held in the Newhouse hotel, Salt Lake City, last Monday noon.

Maj. James W. Duckworth, MC, has been ordered to the Philippines, and will sail from San Francisco May 29.

A sleigh ride party was held last Sunday evening under the auspices of the Officers' Club. At five o'clock a large number of officers and ladies started out on a ride along Wasatch Boulevard, returning at seven o'clock for a hot supper, which was served at the Club.

Mrs. Elizabeth F. Dean, mother of Lt. W. F. Dean, who has been visiting her son for the past month, returned Saturday to her home in Berkeley, Calif.

FT. BRAGG, N. C.
Jan. 24, 1930

MAJ. GEN. FRANK R. MCCOY, commanding the Fourth Corps Area, Mrs. McCoy, and 1st Lt. William S. Bidle, Aide De Camp, arrived Jan. 15, to be the guests of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Holbrook, for three days, while General McCoy inspects the post.

Capt. Arthur C. Fitzhugh left yesterday for Hartsville, S. C., where he is spending a short leave.

Mrs. John S. Mallory was hostess yesterday afternoon at a most enjoyable bridge party, at which she had as her guests her mother, Mrs. Sharpe; Mrs. Harleigh Parkhurst, Mrs. A. J. Rodgers, Mrs. Edwin R. Van Deusin, Mrs. Arthur F. Fitzhugh, Mrs. Ralph Hirsch, Mrs. David F. Ruffner, and Mrs. Thomas North. Mrs. Parkhurst registered high score, while Mrs. Hirsch was second high.

Maj. John K. Boles, of the office of the Chief of Field Artillery, who is here for the purpose of observing the Gun-Howitz test conducted by the Field Artillery Board, is the guest of Col. Henry W. Butner.

Col. Edwin D. Bricker of the Office of (Please turn to Next Page)

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ANNAPOLIS, MD.
Jan. 31, 1930.

THE Masqueraders of the Naval Academy are giving the first presentation of their annual dramatic production on the afternoon of Feb. 1, in Mahan Hall, to the regiment of midshipmen and their guests. The midshipmen have chosen for their play this year, "The Haunted House," a farce comedy by Owen Davis. A number of the talented members of last year's performance are again appearing in this year's play which promises to score another success for the Masqueraders. There will be an evening performance on the 1st also and on the following Saturday afternoon and evening which has been designated as officer's night.

Besides the attraction of the Masqueraders many guests will also be in the city over the week end to attend the first class hop which takes place in the evening.

The card party sponsored by the Christ Child Society of St. Mary's Parish was one of the largest held on the station this season. The affair which took place on Tuesday afternoon of this week was held aboard the Riena Mercedes and many were obliged to arrange tables at the Officer's Club and at various homes due to the large assemblage. One of the delightful features of the afternoon was the playing of Miss Autumn Hall, noted violinist, who gave several solos. The proceeds of the party will be used to care for needy families during the remainder of the winter.

Lt. and Mrs. DeWitt Redgrave were hosts on Saturday evening, Jan. 25, at their home on Second Street, at a small dance in honor of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Holt, of Philadelphia.

Comdr. and Mrs. George B. Keester were hosts on Saturday evening at their home on Duke of Gloucester Street at a dinner party followed by bridge. There were sixteen guests. Mrs. Keester held the last of her series of January "at homes" on Tuesday afternoon. She was assisted by Miss Maude Roberts, Miss Winifred Claude and Mrs. John Marston.

Among the enjoyable parties of the week was the Pirate party given on board the Riena Mercedes by Capt. and Mrs. William F. Halsey and Mrs. Charles Soule on Thursday evening. Dancing followed dinner and the guests all wore colorful pirate costumes.

Professor Allan Blow Cook of the English department of the Naval Academy is entertaining on Saturday afternoon at his apartment in the Brice House following the opening performance of the Masqueraders, in compliment to a number of the members of the Plebe class of the Academy and a group of young girls on the station. He will be assisted by Mrs. John A. Upshur and Mrs. William B. Ault.

Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Sr., who is spending the winter in Washington was a recent guest of friends in Annapolis. During her visit, Mrs. Robert was entertained at a tea given by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., who entertained on Thursday, Jan. 23, from 4 to 6 o'clock. Mrs. Robert was also entertained at a dinner at Peggy Stewart Inn by Mrs. d'Auria.

Mrs. Douglas W. Coe and two children, Jo Lorsey and Elizabeth Dempsey Coe, have arrived in Annapolis from Duluth and are visiting Mrs. Coe's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Abram Moss of this city. Later they will be joined here by Lt. Comdr. Coe who has been visiting his mother in Duluth since returning with his family from a three year's tour of duty in China.

Mrs. Frank Roop Smith entertained delightfully last week at a tea at her home in the Colonial Apartment on Maryland Avenue.

Mrs. Ernest Lee Jahncke of Washington, was in Annapolis Jan. 25, to visit her son, Midshipman Ernest L. Jahncke, Jr., who took part in the Plebe swimming meet with Pennsylvania that afternoon. Mrs. Jahncke was guest of Adm. and Mrs. Robison while here.

Comdr. and Mrs. Walter B. Tardy were hosts at a reception on Friday evening at their home in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Francis M. Furlong who have recently come to make their home here.

Comdr. and Mrs. Thales Boyd, USN, retired, have been recent guests of Mrs. Boyd's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. J. Willis Martin of this city.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. John Harrison Calhoun of "Windsor Farm" West River have had as guests, Mrs. Calhoun's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Chilton Heward, of Montreal, Canada.

Dr. Willard J. Riddick is recuperating at the Naval Hospital from an operation for appendicitis.

NORFOLK, VA.
Jan. 24, 1930

THE commandant and officers of the Naval Base have set the following dates for the dinner dances to be held in the History building during the remainder of the season. The first will be held on Friday, Feb. 14, with Mrs. George Preston Shamer as hostess; the second on Friday evening, March 21; (Please turn to Next Page)

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the Chief of Ordnance, accompanied by two more officers or that office, is expected to arrive here Monday or Tuesday, for the purpose of observing the Gun-Howitzer test conducted by the Field Artillery Board. Col. Bricker will be the house guest of Col. Henry W. Butler while here.

Lt. and Mrs. Franklin C. Holbrook entertained at a most delightful dinner party last evening, having as their guests Capt. and Mrs. Winfred C. Green, Lt. and Mrs. C. S. Berrien, Lt. William S. Biddle, Miss Frances Brotherton, and t. and rs. Edwin L. Johnson. The table was tastefully arranged with flowers and candles.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. William P. Ennis entertained at tea on Sunday afternoon, honoring their house guest, Maj. and Mrs. Jacob L. Devers, of Washington.

Capt. F. E. Kauffman, recently assigned to the 17th Field Artillery from the Hawaiian Department, joined his new command Jan. 18.

CAMP HOLABIRD, MD.

Jan. 22, 1930

MRS. WILLIS C. CONOVER AND Mrs. Alfred B. Denniston, were hostesses at the Ladies' Afternoon Bridge held at the Officers' Club, Thursday, Jan. 2, 1930.

Mrs. George M. Laws entertained the ladies of the post at a tea in her quarters, on Tuesday, Jan. 6, 1930. Meses. James K. Hill, Franz J. Jonitz and DuVal C. Watkins, assisted Mrs. Laws in serving.

Mrs. Arthur E. Danielson and Mrs. August F. Fenker, Sr., were hostesses at the Ladies' Afternoon Bridge held at the Officers' Club on Thursday, Jan. 16, 1930. Prizes for high scores were awarded Mrs. Franz J. Jonitz, Mrs. Robert Sterrett and Mrs. Arthur F. Gilmore.

Capt. Fred T. Neville, Quartermaster Corps, and Mrs. Neil Talbutt of Columbus, Ga., were married at the home of Lt. and Mrs. Lester F. Watson, the Dunleavy Apartments, Dundalk, Md., at 6:00 P. M., Monday, Jan. 13, 1930. Chap. J. Monroe Stick officiated.

Lt. and Mrs. Harold Spigelmyre entertained with dinner in their quarters, Sunday, Jan. 12, 1930. Covers were laid for eight.

Col. and Mrs. Edgar S. Stayer were recent week-end visitors to Atlantic City, N. J., where Col. Stayer attended the Convention of the National Association of Road Builders.

Mrs. Arthur F. Gilmore has returned to the post, after a short visit to New York City.

Capt. Herbert C. Mitchell has returned to the post, after spending the holidays with relatives in Chicago, Ill.

Mmes. Willis C. Conover, Alfred B. Denniston, James C. Browne, and James B. Edmunds were hostesses at a mixed bridge held at the Officers' Club, Thursday, Jan. 9, 1930. Prizes for high scores were awarded Mrs. Edmunds, Mrs. Danielson, Capt. Gilmore and Lt. Caldwell.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, WASH.

Jan. 21, 1930

AMONG recent dinners given at the garrison, was one at which Gen. and Mrs. Paul A. Wolf were hosts to a party of 14 guests at their quarters.

Mrs. A. P. Kitson, who was the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Arthur L. Benedict for a short visit, has returned to her home at Ft. Lewis, Wash.

Maj. Clarence M. McMurray has returned to the garrison from San Francisco and after a short leave will depart with his family for Ft. Lewis, Wash., where he will be on duty. Both Maj. and Mrs. McMurray, during Maj. McMurray's tour of duty in Oregon as instructor with the Oregon National Guard and as an officer of the 7th Infantry at Vancouver Barracks, have made many friends who will be sorry to hear of their departure. Several dinners are being planned in their honor.

Lt. and Mrs. Joseph Yeats were the dinner guests of Lt. and Mrs. Jesse F. Dressler on Monday evening at their quarters.

An impromptu sleigh-ride arranged by a group of garrison people was the means by which a delightful evening was spent recently. After the ride the group gathered at the Officers' Club for refreshments and dancing.

FT. BENNING, GA.

Jan. 31, 1930

GEN. AND MRS. FRANK R. MCCOY, of Ft. McPherson, arrived Thursday noon, and were the guests of Gen. and Mrs. Campbell King.

They were honored by Gen. and Mrs. King Thursday, Jan. 23, with a dinner party.

Members of the 24th Infantry Glee Club sang several spirituals after the dinner and later the party attended at the Officer's Club dance at Biglerville.

Maj. and Mrs. Charles Coates entertained Friday evening at Biglerville.

Maj. and Mrs. Charles Steele gave a dinner party Friday evening at Biglerville for Mrs. Emma Delaplane, the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Thomas Austin.

Capt. and Mrs. Thomas Austin, Lt. and Mrs. David Barr, Lt. and Mrs. Craig Alderman attended the party. After dinner Maj. and Mrs. Steele and their guests attended the dance given for the officers and ladies of the 24th Infantry.

"White Elephants" and "Half an Hour," two one-act plays, will be given by members of the dramatic club at the main theater, Saturday, Feb. 1. Maj. Harry Lewis is directing the play.

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"Half an Hour," a drama, is cast with Isobel Chance, Lady Lillian; Stuart Wilder, Richard Carson; Truman Smith, Dr. Brodie; Katherine Cleveland, Mrs. Redding; Owen Rhoads, Mr. Edding; Louise Rhoads, Susie; Daniel Mallan, Hugh Patton and Stonewall Jackson, Withers, the butler. Mrs. Truman Smith is directing this.

It is expected that the "Prince of Pilsen" will be one of the finest production of the Glee Club. Dates of February 14 and 15 have been set for the performance.

GOVERNORS ISLAND, N. Y.

Feb. 1, 1930.

LT. COL. AND MRS. IRVIN J. PHILIPSON entertained 12 guests at a dinner party in their quarters on Saturday evening, Jan. 25.

Lt. Morton McD. Jones was called to Salisbury, N. C., on Monday, Jan. 27, by the death of his father.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Walter O. Boswell left on Friday, Jan. 24, for a two month's vacation in Los Angeles, Calif.

The dance at the Officer's Club on Wednesday, Jan. 29, was very successful. Prior to the dance, several dinner parties were given in the rooms of the club. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown gave a dinner for 24, at which the tables were beautifully decorated with yellow chrysanthemums. Maj. and Mrs. Raymond W. Hardenbergh, of Ft. Hamilton, gave a dinner for eight guests and Capt. and Mrs. Wilbur E. Bashore entertained four at dinner.

Maj. Walter Gullion and Capt. C. L. Berthoff who have been on temporary duty at Governors Island, have returned to Washington.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Hanson E. Ely attended the reception at the Ambassador Hotel in honor of Adm. Hsi Kuei Tu, of the Chinese Navy. The reception was given by the Chinese Society of America, on Wednesday, Jan. 29.

The 16th Infantry Band gave a concert at the reception given by the Federal Bar Association, on Thursday, Jan. 30, at the Hotel New Yorker, to the newly appointed Federal judges.

Col. William K. Naylor addressed the Brooklyn Chapter of the Reserve Officer's Association at their meeting in the Elks Club, Brooklyn, on Jan. 25.

Lt. Col. Samuel G. Talbott, the Assistant Corps Area Adjutant General, has been confined to his quarters for several days with a cold.

Maj. Gen. Hanson E. Ely visited Washington, D. C., on Sunday and Monday, Jan. 26 and 27.

Maj. O. H. Saunders delivered a talk on military intelligence before the officers of Squadron A. N. Y. N. G., on Tuesday, Jan. 28.

FT. MOULTREE, S. C.

Jan. 29, 1930

LT. AND MRS. LUTHER WALLIS were hosts at a charming bridge dinner Tuesday night, Jan. 21. The guests were Col. and Mrs. W. P. Coleman, Maj. G. R. Byrd, Maj. and Mrs. E. C. Mead, Capt. and Mrs. W. C. Phillips, Lt. and Mrs. Kenneth Bailey, Capt. P. A. Helmbold, Mrs. Arthur McGee, Mrs. Shaw. The color scheme was carried out in pink and white. Mrs. Bailey won ladies high prize, a leather telephone book, and Maj. Mead won mens high prize, a black silk tie.

Friends of Miss Sally Richie will be sorry to hear that she is quite ill in Riverside Hospital in Charleston. Miss Richie is the daughter of Capt. and Mrs. W. R. Richie of this post.

Lt. and Mrs. J. E. Bowen have as their guest over the week-end Mrs. Bowen's sister, Miss Louise Waddington who is attending Ashely Hall.

FT. MONMOUTH, N. J.

Jan. 30, 1930

THE Officers' Club gave a dance Friday evening, Jan. 24. The committee incharge was composed of Capt. C. I. Hoppough, Lt. H. V. Evans, and Lt. Philip C. Bennett.

Preceding the dance given at the Officers' Club Friday evening, Capt. and Mrs. Louis Cansler, Capt. and Mrs. H. L. Vitzthum, Lt. and Mrs. Robert Robinson and Lt. and Mrs. Carter W. Clarke entertained at dinner at the Club San Remo in Long Branch.

The Afternoon Bridge Club of Ft. Monmouth met in the Officers' Club Thursday, Jan. 23, with Mrs. L. B. Bender and Mrs. C. L. Strike as hostesses. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. E. L. Clewell and Mrs. Garland C. Black.

Lt. and Mrs. Carter W. Clarke of Washington Street, Long Branch, had as their guests for the weekend, Maj. and Mrs. Clyde L. Eastman of Brooklyn.

Capt. and Mrs. J. V. Matejka of Linden Avenue, Long Branch, had as their guests for the weekend, Capt. and Mrs. G. L. Thompson of Brooklyn.

Capt. and Mrs. Hardy P. Browning entertained at dinner at their home on Bath Avenue, Saturday evening, Jan. 25.

Among their guests were Maj. and Mrs. Clyde L. Eastman, Capt. and Mrs. G. L. Thompson, Capt. and Mrs. J. V. Matejka, Lt. and Mrs. Charles W. Wood and Lt. and Mrs. Carter W. Clarke.

Following dinner Lt. and Mrs. Wood were host and hostess at bridge at their home on Oceanport Avenue.

Besides those already named their guests included Maj. and Mrs. Spencer B. Akin, Lt. and Mrs. Floyd T. Gillespie, Lt. and Mrs. J. E. Raymond and Capt. and Mrs. Frederick G. Miller.

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the third on April 18, and the fourth and last on May 21. The last of the three large dances arranged by the officers of the Base will be given on May 23. Wives of Naval officers who are at sea are also invited to attend these dances and tables are being reserved by Lt. William Griswold at the Base.

Col. and Mrs. Henry C. Jewett entertained on Jan. 25 at a dinner given at their home in Stockley Gardens. Covers were laid for 12.

Capt. and Mrs. W. K. Wortman have issued invitations for a dinner to be given at the Norfolk Country Club on Feb. 8, preceding the week-end dance, in honor of Comdr. and Mrs. C. A. MacGowan who will leave shortly for the West Coast and for Lt. and Mrs. Harry Corman whose marriage took place recently.

Capt. and Mrs. Cleon W. Maudlin entertained on Jan. 23, at a dinner given at their home in North Shore Point. Covers were laid for ten and their guests included Capt. and Mrs. W. K. Riddle, Capt. and Mrs. H. P. Perrill, Capt. and Mrs. Ernest J. King and Capt. and Mrs. Cecil Sherman Baker.

Capt. and Mrs. W. K. Wortman enter-

of the Officers' Club at Ft. Monmouth have arranged the following social events and appointed the committees as indicated, for the remainder of the school year.

Feb. 2—Swimming Party, Asbury Park Pool, Lt. Mitchell; Feb. 7—Bridge, Capt. Vitzthum; 1st Lts. Bicher and Mayo; Feb. 14—Valentine Party—Dance, Capt. Miller; 1st Lt. Hixson; 2d Lt. Brooke; Feb. 21—Smoker (men only), Capt. Browning; 1st Lts. Horn and Lubbe; Feb. 28—Dance, Capt. Murphy; 1st Lt. Wood; 2d Lt. Burbank; Mar. 14—St. Patrick's Dance, Capt. Reeder; 1st Lts. May and Hasyell; Mar. 23—Paper chase and treasure hunt Capt. Lawrence; 1st Lts. Hine and Potete; Mar. 28—Dance, Capt. McCarley; 2d Lts. Nelson and Snedeker.

April 4—Bridge, 1st Lts. Hayden, Curren, Renno; Apr. 20—Beach Party, Capt. Brislawn, 1st Lts. Corput and Wallace; Apr. 25—Monte Carlo party, Capt. Baldwin, 1st Lts. Whelchel and Thomas; 2d Lt. Mulkey; May 9—Bridge, 1st Lts. Foster and Stone, 2d Lt. Graul; May 16—Dance, Maj. Stewart, 2d Lts. Salmon and L. R. Williams; June 5—Graduation Ball, Capt. Nixon, 1st Lts. Schlossberg and Conrad.

Maj. Clyde L. Eastman and Capt. G. L. Thompson of Brooklyn, were at Ft. Monmouth last week for a conference with Col. A. S. Cowan regarding Signal Corps matters.

CHANUTE FIELD, ILL.

Jan. 28, 1930

T. and Mrs. Smith gave a delightful dinner party at their quarters at Chanute Field. Rose and green crystal with rose candles decorated the small tables. The guests were Maj. and Mrs. Heffernan, Capt. and Mrs. Voss, Lt. and Mrs. McCulloch, Lt. and Mrs. Sousa, Lt. and Mrs. Lanagan, Lt. and Mrs. Moon.

A prettily appointed dinner was given by Capt. Schneeberger before the monthly dance at Chanute Field. Roses beautified the table, while corsages of roses and sweet peas were at each lady's place. The guests were Miss Burn, Miss Murphy, Lt. and Mrs. Goddard, Lt. Hildreth, Lt. Borum, and Lt. Rivers.

Lt. and Mrs. Wood and Lt. and Mrs. Ballard entertained with a charming dinner party preceding the monthly dance at Chanute Field. The guests were Maj. and Mrs. Heffernan, Maj. and Mrs. Mason, Maj. and Mrs. Ballantyne, Capt. and Mrs. Nicholas, Capt. and Mrs. Dye, Lt. and Mrs. Finley, Lt. and Mrs. Duncan, Lt. and Mrs. McCulloch, Lt. and Mrs. Sousa, Lt. and Mrs. Hamilton, Lt. and Mrs. Robertson, Lt. and Mrs. Smith, Lt. and Mrs. Madarasz, Lt. and Mrs. Moon, Lt. and Mrs. Weikert, Dr. and Mrs. O'Connell.

Lt. and Mrs. Laughinghouse have returned from Fairfield after a delightful week visiting with Capt. and Mrs. Niergarth.

FT. RILEY, KANS.

Jan. 28, 1930.

AMONG those entertaining at dinner Saturday evening prior to the weekly hop were Capt. and Mrs. Paul R. Feibiger for Capt. and Mrs. Herbert A. Myers, Capt. and Mrs. Fred W. Koester, Lt. and Mrs. Charles A. Sheldon, Mrs. Gladys Durkee, Miss Margaret Richman, Miss Kelly Martin, and Lts. Gordon B. Rogers, Clarence W. Bennett, and Laurence K. Ladue.

Maj. and Mrs. Joseph P. Aleshire were hosts at dinner on Saturday evening for sixteen.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles F. Houghton had a dinner party for 14. Capt. and Mrs. William T. Bauskett entertained for eight.

Capt. and Mrs. Edward H. Brooks were hosts for Gen. and Mrs. Abraham G. Lott, Col. and Mrs. Charles G. Harvey and Capt. and Mrs. Charles S. Miller.

Lt. and Mrs. Edwin C. Greiner entertained with a dinner, their guests included Col. and Mrs. Walter S. Grant, Col. and Mrs. Alexander M. Hilton, Maj.

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tained on Jan. 22 at a dinner party given at their home on Mowbray Arch. Covers were laid for Comdr. and Mrs. Thaddeus Thompson, Comdr. and Mrs. Max DeMott and Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. E. W. Hanson.

Lt. Comdr. Carl H. Jones entertained Jan. 21 at a dinner given on board the USS Marblehead. His guests numbered six.

Mrs. F. D. Walker entertained on Jan. 23 at a bridge party given at their quarters in the Naval Base in compliment to Mrs. C. Hilaire Bitner, who with Lt. Bitner will leave early next month for Washington, and for Miss Martha Newkirk of Philadelphia, who is visiting Mrs. A. L. Hutson at the Base. Mrs. Walker's guests numbered 20.

Lt. Col. J. A. Rossell, who has been spending two years in Nicaragua, is expected to land in New York Feb. 11 on the USS Columbia and will join Mrs. Rossell, who is now residing at the U. S. Marine Barracks, Norfolk.

Mrs. E. P. Finney, who has been the guest of Lt. and Mrs. J. H. Branan in Waterville, Portsmouth, returned on Jan. 25 to her home in Annapolis. Capt. Finney has left also to join his ship in New York.

PUGET SOUND, WASH.

Jan. 22, 1930

CAPT. SAMUEL M. ROBINSON, USN, and Mrs. Robinson, entertained with a formal dinner on Jan. 21, at their quarters in the Navy Yard. Covers were laid for eight.

On Jan. 15, at her home at the Torpedo Station at Keyport, Mrs. Robert C. Griffin was hostess at a beautifully appointed bridge luncheon given in honor of her mother, Mrs. Hodgeman, who is visiting from the East. There were six tables in play.

Mrs. Sherman S. Kennedy entertained Mrs. Samuel M. Robinson, Mrs. Frederick E. Haeberle and Mrs. W. Dale Quarton at luncheon in Seattle on Jan. 20, preceding the Matinee Musicale at the Olympic Hotel.

On Jan. 18, the Squash from the Navy Yard played a match with the team from the Seattle Tennis Club at Seattle, the Seattle team winning the match. Those who played from the Navy were Lt. Comdr. Harry W. Hill, Lt. Comdr. Stephan B. Robinson, Lt. Comdr. Gerard H. Wood, Lt. Antonio S. Pitre, Lt. Henry A. Ingram, Lt. Robert C. Bell, Jr., and Ens. Charles P. Huff. Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Pitre and Mrs. Ingram accompanied the team and they were all entertained at the dinner dance at the Tennis Club that evening.

Capt. Zeno E. Briggs, USN, and Mrs. Briggs were hosts at a bridge dinner of charming appointments on Jan. 22, at the Commissioned Officers' Mess in the Navy Yard. Covers were laid for 48.

Mrs. Campbell D. Edgar left recently for an extended visit in California. She will be joined by Lt. Comdr. Edgar on his return from an inspection trip.

MARE ISLAND, CAL.

Jan. 27, 1930

THE Hotel Casa de Vallejo dinner dances are popular with the Naval colony and each Saturday finds a number of officers and their guests gathered at the hotel. Saturday, Jan. 18, a group of officers and their wives formed a no host party which included:

Y. Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. C. C. Hitchcock, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Stanley G. Womble, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. K. C. Christian, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. T. J. Doyle and Lt. and Mrs. G. Bowman

Mrs. William G. Livingstone entertained recently with two bridge luncheons at her home 19 B Street, Vallejo. Spring flowers were used as table decorations at both affairs.

A delightful affair of the week was the dinner party at which Capt. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy entertained at their quarters. A green and white color scheme was used on the attractively appointed dinner table where covers were laid for 22. Those present were Capt. and Mrs. Everett Morsell, Victor S. Jackson, Milton Reed, George Shepard; Col. James Mc. E. Huey, USMC, and Mrs. Huey; Comdrs. and Meses. Henry A. Orr, John Knapp; Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Charles Greene, Ralph Whitman, A. H. Addoms; Rear Adm. George Laws; Capt. Thomas Kearney.

Lt. Charles Swithenback, SC, and Mrs. Swithenback are recent arrivals in the Naval colony. Lt. Swithenback has been attached to the Saratoga.

Mrs. A. H. Addoms acted as Club Hostess for the dinner dance at the Officers' Club, Jan. 24, which proved to be an enjoyable affair. Rear Adm. George W. Laws had a party of 16, Capt. and Mrs. Victor S. Jackson entertained 16 and Capt. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy had 24 guests.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Travis Moring were hosts at an attractive affair at their home in Santa Paula Way, Vallejo, Jan. 25, when they invited a group of friends to dinner, followed by bridge. Spring flowers were effectively used as table decoration.

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Industries War Role

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branches from time to time for short periods of active duty. In the past year 671 reserve officers had this opportunity. The valuable results involved in these contacts between the officers of the Regular and the Reserve Services can be estimated only by those who have seen the two working together in common purpose and contributing each to the other from the storehouse of peculiar experiences and knowledge.

Next came the devotion of each of the branches having supply duties, under the Assistant Secretary of War, to the business of estimating requirements in raw materials and finished articles of thousands of items set by the General Staff as essential supplies in the military plans drawn by it. Those items, the lack of which in the early stages of war, can be readily foreseen and those items which are peculiar to military usage have been first studied. Of the thousands of articles on the Army's war time shopping list, requirements have been figured for 16,086. Requirement figures once made are of course not static and must be constantly revised.

Determination made as to what will be needed in war is naturally followed by consideration of how and where it can be procured. Decision having been made that procurement would be decentralized to the industrial centers of the country and procurement district offices having been set up in the fourteen districts into which the Nation had been divided, the several supply branches of the Army began the study of the industrial establishments to which it must look for satisfaction. Increasingly business and industrial leaders have become interested in this and thousands have conceived their patriotic duty as involved in a joint solution of problems presented. Local surveys have thus been made of 14,338 facilities and the Army officers have learned, on the one hand where they can confidently place the Army's war supply burden; and industrial leaders, on the other hand, have visualized the extent and content of their individual contribution to war needs. The task involves no thought of war time control and management of industrial establishments by Army personnel. It involves simply and solely a peace time study of how industry, working in its own way and under its own leaders, can best serve its Government in national emergency. Thus efficiency and effectiveness will attend a business which otherwise would be conducted in confusion and turmoil. In the end industry will have contributed to the extent and in the manner in which it would wish to contribute and yet forethought and provision will have prevented economic and industrial waste and disruption.

An early task undertaken was in harmony with a recent trend in business, namely, the standardization and simplification of articles. Commercial language and commercial types are being adopted by the Army. The beneficial products of standardization and simplification are being assured to the Army now in its peace time procurement; these same products will be immeasurably more important in the vastly increased war time procurement. Anyone who has ever been concerned in Army procurement, either as acting for or as serving the Government, will readily apprehend the importance of the writing now of specifications which are adaptable to prompt and orderly commercial production and yet are adapted to Army needs.

Particularly significant, as one reviews the work done in procurement planning, is the valuable contribution made to orderly and prompt procurement in war through comprehensive and continuing study of raw materials and finished products which must be procured in war and which are not produced in this country or are produced in insufficient quantities. An easy solution of the problems here presented would be found in the building up now of adequate reserves. Because of the financial involvements of such a solution and because such reserves naturally deteriorate or become obsolescent, such a solution is in general not a practical one. Wherever possible items of this nature are being supplanted by items which can be obtained here. Beyond this lie the hopes in further study. In this matter military strategy and industrial strategy must join in common plans.

Governmental funds available have thus far not permitted the assignment of enough officers to the prosecution of the task assigned to the Assistant Secretary of War. In the current year only 26 officers are wholly engaged in procurement planning duties and 52 of-

Puget Sound Service Store

THE service store at the Receiving Barracks at the Puget Sound Navy Yard is a part of the welfare activities of the station. These welfare activities consist in the operation of bowling alleys, pool and billiard tables, handball courts, swimming pool, barber and tailor shops and laundry.

All the profits from these activities are expended on improvements of equipment, reduction in charge to personnel and in entertainments for personnel.

The present clubhouse and bowling building was built entirely by enlisted personnel and with salvaged material as far as possible, the new material being paid for by the welfare fund. The four bowling alleys which have the reputation of being the finest in the Northwest, were financed by the welfare fund.

The service store is located in the clubhouse and carries a complete stock of the usual articles found in such stores at substantial reduction on outside prices, and has an up-to-date news stand. Light lunches and refreshments are also served in the store, the store being open from 7:30 a.m. until 10 p.m.

The clubhouse is also equipped with four standard pool tables and a billiard table, a small charge to cover their maintenance being made for their use.

The swimming pool is operated at no charge and during the past year had 8,495 patrons. The pool is heavily

patronized by enlisted personnel of visiting ships; many of the ships using it for swimming instructions and qualifications of swimmers. At present, a modern theatre with seating capacity of 360 is being built in the same manner in which the clubhouse was built. It is hoped to equip the theatre with the latest talking device, this being financed by the welfare fund, and by charging a small sum for admittance the actual operation charges will be taken care of.

Approximately 20,000 enlisted men from visiting ships spend an average of one month at the Navy Yard, and there are an average of 1,700 here at all times, not including the personnel regularly attached to the station. No entertainment or recreation facilities are available to these men while here outside of Seattle and from November to April, most recreation is limited to indoor games. Consequently the need of the facilities furnished by the welfare service is very evident.

Officers are devoting a part-time service. The energies and efforts of this small group have been supplemented by brief periods of active service of an all too small group of reserve officers. When it is realized that war time procurement as now planned will engage the full attention and energies of over 7,000 officers, one readily sees that we have yet no assurance that any considerable percentage of these will have peace time training. A summation of the facts thus inadequately presented may be made as follows: The general problem has been defined and stated. Fundamental principles have been determined. Training of officers in the new art and science of industrial and economic strategy has been begun. Along side of the imposing literature devoted to the military and political side of warfare has been placed a creditable beginning of a new literature devoted to the industrial and economic side of warfare. Contacts between industrial leaders and Army personnel have been made and maintained; a common language has been developed; a common purpose has been jointly studied. The Army has made measurable progress in stating its war time requirements in kind and quantity and described in commercial phraseology. The officers charged with responsibilities of war time procurement have an increasingly definite knowledge as to what they will need and an increasingly adequate assurance as to where and how and in what time that need can be met.

At the same time the citizens who will contribute to the satisfaction of war time needs have an increasingly definite knowledge as to what they may expect to contribute and an increasingly adequate assurance that they may contemplate the industrial implications of warfare in the hope that the Nation's security and integrity are insured at a minimum cost in life and treasure promptly, effectively and economically.

Thus, the National Defense Act, conceived in the heat of war, has builded for national security. Based on a small standing Army, whose primary purpose is the training of civilian components, available for an expanded force, and making provision for the recruitment and training of such civilian components, provision is made for the expansion of land forces, promptly, without confusion and in number sufficient for need. The General Staff has been strengthened so that in truth it meets for the first time in our history the demands of military leadership. As it prepares for the mobilization and training and maneuvering of such forces to meet the Nation's need, there has been set up a new staff devoted to the business of planning for, and assuring, the effective support of such forces. These two agencies, working in harmony and in common purpose, give promise of a reasonable preparedness for national defense. Since this new policy enlists in its purpose every loyal citizen it gives an assurance which no force, however strong, built up in isolation and apart from the day by day life of the Nation, can give. In it the soldier-citizen and the citizen-soldier stand together.



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A FEW QUERIES

Editor, Army and Navy Journal:
TO THE PESSIMIST:—(DEML).—

It is not my intention to enter into a controversy with you in regard to the DEML, for if I did, it would give you another chance to insult the officers of the Regular Army who direct the different branches of the DEML, by insinuating that Enlisted Men are placed on those duties through "handshaking," etc. The word "handshaking," you should know, is an expression generally used by recruits who have not had military experience enough to know that hard work is the only prescription that will give them the raise in pay, promotion, etc., that is desired by all in the U. S. Army. You may be an old soldier, with the highest enlisted grade, but as soldier to soldier would like to ask you a few questions:

"Your reasons for the attack on the DEML."

"Your length of service in the Army."

"Your present grade."

"If you have ever been a member of the DEML."

"If you ever applied for detail with the DEML."

Of course, you won't give me this information. Correct.

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ANOTHER ONE FOR "PESSIMIST"

Editor, Army and Navy Journal:
JUST a little boomerang for the "Pessimist," whose letter you published in your issue of Jan. 18, 1930.

First of all it seems almost unbelievable, in this enlightened age, that anyone could entertain such ideas as those possessed by the "Pessimist." He states that some of the letters written in regards to pay increase were humorous and absurd. How so? Would he consider an increase humorous or absurd? No, and furthermore, I may not be mistaken in stating that he has already figured out just how much the increase will benefit him. His is a poor argument, especially so when you consider that some of the most intelligent men of our nation have gone down on record as being in favor of the increase, and they are not members of military or naval services either. When outsiders can see the inadequate pay as compared to civil life, how in the world can anyone with common "horse-sense," who belongs to the military service, think otherwise?

The DEML question he refers to has long been debated in regards to increase of commutation and rightly so. The monetary allowance now authorized is just a little over half of what it was just after the war, and have prices decreased that much? No, they are nearly on the same basis as then, yet the allowance is cut almost in half. Therefore, when he speaks of the DEML men trying to keep apace with \$200 a month civilians, how can they when they receive a little over half of it? Yes, they must live in the same community with these same civilians and for what reason? Simply because living accommodations located in the localities where their commutation would suffice are not of the type desired by any respectable person and that is the one main requisite for members of the DEML, that they be a credit to the service they represent and certainly they cannot be considered such if they reside in a low neighborhood. What is the result? We have to pay rental far above our allowance. Food stuffs are much higher in the cities than they are at Army posts. Do they increase our ration allowance in keeping with this condition? No, we have to scrape and juggle the best way we see fit, or run in debt and there are very, very few men of the service who contract indebtedness they can not meet. I hope this gentleman has the opportu-

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1st Division Notes

ELABORATE preparations are being made for the Winter Maneuvers at Madison Barracks, N. Y., at which time it is proposed that several motion picture concerns from New York City will make "shots" of the scenes.

The Mardi Gras Dance, given for the men of Governors Island, Jan. 21, developed into the largest and gayest party seen on the island in years. Nearly 600 persons attended. Costumes, together with souvenir hats and balloons, gave the party a true carnival aspect. Judges awarded handsome prizes for dancing, costumes and lucky dances. Refreshments were served. The 16th Infantry Orchestra was in fine form. Mother Davison, well loved by the enlisted men of the post, led the Grand March with M. Sgt. Nile Evans.

The temporary installation of a talking motion picture projector in the Y. M. C. A. at Ft. Jay has had a remarkable effect on movie attendance.

A detachment from the regimental band of the 28th Infantry arrived at Ft. Ontario, N. Y., to constitute an orchestra for the 3rd Bn., 28th Infantry. Enlisted men's dances are being held in the Post Gymnasium each Thursday evening.

Jan. 17, the 28th Infantry participated in an Inter-Company Rifle Match on its small bore ranges at Ft. Niagara, N. Y. The rules governing this match required that no competitor should ever have fired the rifle for record. The scores were exceptionally high. Pvt. John T. Irwin, Hq. Co. and Pvt. Clinton L. Howe, Co. C, tying for individual honors with a score of 190 out of a possible 200. The match was won by Hq. Co., with Co. G a close second.

The first session of the 1st Division Staff Officers' Lyceum Course was held Jan. 20. Maj. DeVoe, MC, Division Surgeon, and Maj. Madison Pearson, AGD, Division Adjutant General, spoke for 40 minutes each. Maj. DeVoe, in a very clear and forcible way, analyzed mental fitness and unfitness. "Mental fitness," he said, "implied healthy body and brain; ability to work under pressure; thinking with corresponding action; and quick rebound from depressing events." The signs of mental unfitness he enumerated as being inferiority complex, over optimism and pessimism, marked depression, indifference, delayed reaction, lack of concentration, and bad temper.

Maj. Pearson told of the 2nd Division's operations in the 3rd Phase of the Meuse-Argonne and of his personal experience with the Division in that operation. He related many incidents, not generally known of the division's hardships and experience in that attack.

The regular monthly hop was given by the officers and their families of Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., Jan. 24. The excellent music was furnished by the 18th Infantry Orchestra, under the leadership of Sgt. A. J. Kulper.

ity to have a "fling" at detached service, recruiting or otherwise. As for the DEML assignment being a "flunkie" or "gravy-train" job, let him take a peek into any office, where these men are on duty. He will find they accomplish more in a day than he will do in a week. If he considers it so soft, why don't he try it? What a rude awakening he would have. A "line soldier" does not have it so hard these days. Much time is devoted to recreation and pleasure. Do we have that? Certainly not, if we desire to pass an evening at the "movies" it costs us anywhere from 50 cents up a head, instead of the War Department Theatre price of 15 cents each and for the same pictures. Do we have the advantage of a commissary, where foodstuffs can be purchased almost for cost, certainly not, we have to pay outside prices for everything we eat.

Since I am a member of the DEML the other opinions he holds will be left to someone on the "ground" to answer, some of the "dumb" master and first sergeants he refers to and may their replies be numerous in order to try and knock some common "horse-sense" into this fellow.

Trusting you will find enough space for this, I am,

DEML.

Ft. Benning Notes

PLANS for the construction of a new children's school were inaugurated when a committee appointed by Brig. Gen. Campbell King, commandant, met to consider ways and means of acquiring the proposed new structure.

The members of the committee are: Col. C. M. Willard, QMC; Maj. E. C. Rose, Inf.; Maj. S. I. McCants, Inf.; Maj. W. M. Hoge, CE, and Capt. F. S. Maj. Gen. Frank R. McCoy, commandant, Inf.

manding the 4th Corps Area, was at Ft. Benning recently for a two-day visit. Gen. McCoy was received at the Upatoi Bridge by an escort which rendered the appropriate honors and then escorted him to the quarters of the commandant, where he and Mrs. McCoy were guests during their visit here. The remainder of the day was spent by Gen. McCoy in making an informal inspection of the Infantry School. In the evening Gen. and Mrs. McCoy were the guests of honor at a dinner given by the commandant and later in the evening attended a dance given by the officers' club at Biglerville.

The following morning a review of the combatant troops of the Infantry School was held on Gordon Field. Col. D. G. Berry commanded the troops during the ceremony. The troops, in mass formation, passed in review before Gen. McCoy in the following order: 29th Infantry, 24th Infantry, 2d Battalion, 1st Tank Regiment, Company A, 7th Engineers, 83rd Field Artillery Battalion, and trains of the 29th Infantry.

The Knox trophy was presented to Battery A, 83rd Field Artillery Battalion, just before the troops passed in review. Battery A, while under the command of Capt. F. S. Clarke, established a record for firing efficiency, tactical mobility, proficiency in communication, and interior economy, which resulted in its being rated as the most efficient battery of Field Artillery in the Army. For this it was awarded the Knox trophy by the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which makes a similar award each year to the battery of Field Artillery of the Regular Army which obtains the highest efficiency rating under tests which are prescribed by the Chief of Field Artillery.

Sound motion pictures of the ceremony were made by the Pathe news reel.

Col. G. C. Marshall entertained Gen. and Mrs. McCoy at luncheon.

Capt. T. D. Joiner, 29th Inf., and Lt. Michael Buckley, Jr., 83d FA, Bn., have been placed on detached service at Maxwell Field, in connection with Air Corps activities until about Feb. 1.

Capt. J. L. Lee, Inf. Res., of Houston, Tex., has been ordered to duty at Ft. Benning with the 29th Infantry from Feb. 18 to May 23.

Capt. W. E. Sankey, DC, is in receipt of orders which relieve him of duty at Ft. Benning and assign him to the Hawaiian Department. He is scheduled to sail for his new station about May 28.

Ft. Monmouth Notes

MAJ. GEN. GEORGE S. GIBBS, Chief Signal Officer of the Army, with Mrs. Gibbs, arrived from Washington, on Jan. 17, and remained at Ft. Monmouth until Sunday when they left for West Point. Gen. and Mrs. Gibbs were house guests of Col. and Mrs. A. S. Cowan at their quarters on the South Shrewsbury River. Saturday morning Gen. Gibbs was received at the main entrance to Ft. Monmouth by an escort under command of Maj. C. W. Lewis. At the same time a salute of 13 guns was fired in honor of the chief of the Signal Corps. After inspecting the escort of honor, Gen. Gibbs, accompanied by Col. Cowan, proceeded with the inspection of all the Signal Corps activities of the fort.

Col. A. S. Cowan, commanding officer, delivered an address on Jan. 20 at the Long Branch Post No. 44 of the American Legion. Col. Cowan discussed the chain of circumstances leading up to the choice of Gen. John J. Pershing as Commander-in-Chief of the American Expeditionary Forces in France during the World War. In addition to Col. Cowan, Roland F. Cowan, of Trenton, N. J., state adjutant of the New Jersey American Legion Department, addressed the post. He reviewed briefly the organization of the American Legion and then spoke of the national and state programs that have been outlined.

Ft. Snelling Notes

THE first session of the series of Reserve Officer's Schools being held at Ft. Snelling, for Reserve Officers attached to the 3rd Infantry and for enlisted men of the 3rd holding Reserve Commissions was held Friday evening, Jan. 17, Capt. Henning Linden acting as instructor, assisted by Sgt. C. M. Uphouse. The topic for discussion was "General Mobilization before M Day." Twenty-four officers were present at this meeting.

Fifteen enlisted men and four officers of Ft. Snelling, Minn., composing four curling teams, were entered in the Northwestern Bonspiel which was held in Minneapolis, Minn., during the week of Jan. 20 to 25. The majority of the curlers of the Ft. Snelling squad are drawn from the ranks of the 3rd Infantry.

The Ft. Snelling hockey team won the opening game of the St. Paul Municipal Indoor Hockey League, by defeating the Freeberg Pie Company of St. Paul, 2-1. The game was hard fought and close from the opening square-off to the end. Sgt. Steve Mickey, Co. B, 3rd Inf., and 2nd Lt. T. G. Moscatelli accounted for Ft. Snelling's two goals, and King scored for the piemen.

The 3rd Inf., Ft. Snelling, Minn., opened its series of Small-bore telegraphic rifle matches on Jan. 14, winning by 23 points over the 1st Infantry team, Ft. Francis Warren, Wyo., and losing by 49 points to the 38th Inf., Nogales, Ariz. Scores were 38th Inf., 2,544; 3rd Inf., 2,495; 1st Inf., 2,472.

Ft. Lincoln Notes

Ft. Lincoln (Special)—The first of the small bore rifle matches to be fired at the post was won by Company I. It was a close match throughout and was not decided until the last man had completed shooting. Five man teams competed against each other, the following being the totals: Company I, 1689; Company L, 1666; Company K, 1635.

High scores were turned in by Sgts. Rains, Company L, 364; Leschinski, Company I, 355; Lyons, Company K, 352; Rich, Company L, 349; Woodward, Company I, 337.

Capt. A. C. Young, Inf. (DOL), on duty at Bismarck with the National Guard, has been ordered to the General Hospital at Hot Springs, Ark.

Two basketball games were played in the inter-company league during the past week. Monday night Company K won from Company M in a close game, the score being 36-29. The lead shifted several times, K Company winning out by a last minute spurt. Company L won its fourth game in a row by defeating Headquarters Company 53-18. Company L leads with four games won, none lost.

Battalion headquarters has challenged the officers of the various companies to a small bore rifle shoot at 50 feet. The challenge was promptly accepted by all company commanders. Each team believes it will have the high score at the end of the match.

Ft. Warren Hunt

Ft. Francis E. Warren (Special)—The second successful controlled ride followed by a tea, was held here recently. Lt. G. W. Read, jr., was in charge of the ride. On account of the weather, equestrian enthusiasts assembled in the riding hall of the post where each rode in his or her own particular fashion.

After the ride the group sang hunt songs and an orchestra from the 1st Infantry furnished music. A number who were unable to attend the ride came to the tea and a generally delightful time was enjoyed by everyone.

Refreshments were served by the officers' club. Those who attended the ride and came later for tea included: Capt. and Mrs. O. L. Overmyer, Capt. and Mrs. A. B. Pence, Chaplain and Mrs. C. O. Purdy, Lt. and Mrs. C. R. Farmer, Lt. and Mrs. L. W. Haney, Lt. and Mrs. W. C. Jones, Lt. and Mrs. P. H. Covey, Lt. and Mrs. P. J. Mitchell, Lt. and Mrs. W. C. Stanton, Lt. George Reid, Lt. G. W. Watkins, Lt. A. C. Fadness, Miss Dorothy Bonney and Miss Bernice Greene.

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Iowa—2nd Lt. J. T. Goltman, MA; 1st Lt. G. E. Harrison, Med.

Kansas—1st Lt. R. R. Bach, Chap; 1st Lt. A. L. Browne, Chap.

Maine—1st Lt. L. W. Bishop, Med.; *2nd Lt. A. S. Hocker, CA.

Massachusetts—*1st Lt. O. B. Brown, Engr.; *Maj. J. A. Kennedy, Inf.; 2nd Lt. B. Lewis, MA; *1st Lt. F. T. Weed, Engr.

Maryland—*2nd Lt. C. J. Schlotterbeck, Inf.

Michigan—2nd Lt. T. F. Meagher, Inf.; Capt. J. C. Goss, Spec.

Minnesota—1st Lt. L. B. Ward, FA.

Mississippi—*2nd Lt. L. M. Jiggits, Inf.

Missouri—1st Lt. J. A. Brennan, Med.; 2nd Lt. F. E. Smith, Inf.; *Capt. W. B. Wimer, Air.

Nebraska—1st Lt. A. V. Cleveland, Chap; 2nd Lt. A. J. Hemstreet, Jr., Inf.; *1st Lt. O. C. Parsons, QM; 2nd Lt. R. Roberts, FA; 2nd Lt. D. E. Tremaine, FA.

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New York—*2nd Lt. H. P. Graham, Inf.; *1st Lt. W. D. Lynch, Inf.; *1st Lt. J. P. P. Wallace, Cav.; 2nd Lt. J. S. Weeks, Sig; X2nd Lt. D. G. Wilman, Inf.

North Carolina—2nd Lt. R. E. Townsend, Inf.; 2nd Lt. J. S. Pittard, CW.

Ohio—2nd Lt. O. H. Hatch, Fin; *2nd Lt. R. L. Henn, Cav.; 2nd Lt. L. B. Huntley, Inf.; *2nd Lt. D. R. Lyons, Inf.; *1st Lt. J. W. McCaslin, Cav.; *2nd Lt. A. J. Myers, Inf.; *Capt. D. V. Thibaut, Inf.; 2nd Lt. C. L. Byrne, Inf.; *2nd Lt. J. B. Coffinberry, Cav.; Capt. W. W. Cummings, Spec.; *2nd Lt. L. A. Hallerman, Inf.; 2nd Lt. F. H. Johnson, Inf.

Oklahoma—Capt. J. H. McPartland, Engr.; 2nd Lt. R. W. Ragsdale, Engr.; 2nd Lt. R. M. Cowan, Inf.

Oregon—*Capt. W. H. Lehman, Inf.; 2nd Lt. A. B. McKenzie, Air; *2nd Lt. D. S. O'Neil, Inf.; 1st Lt. C. C. Van Vlerah, Med.; *1st Lt. J. B. Davis, Inf.; *Maj. R. R. Knox, CW.

Pennsylvania—2nd Lt. J. R. Jennings, FA; 2nd Lt. J. W. Thompson, Inf.; 1st Lt. L. D. Utts, Chap; 2nd Lt. W. E. Collier, Fin; 2nd Lt. W. M. Gould, CW.

Philippine Islands—1st Lt. J. C. Trota, Chap.

Rhode Island—2nd Lt. C. F. Magoun, Inf.; *2nd Lt. F. R. Smith, FA; *1st Lt. E. J. Woods, Cav.

South Dakota—2nd Lt. J. H. Stillwill, Inf.

Tennessee—*1st Lt. J. H. Reed, Air. Texas—1st Lt. P. Bernd, Cav.; 1st Lt. W. C. Holt, Med.

Vermont—*2nd Lt. J. G. Tinker, Inf.

Virginia—2nd Lt. W. F. Larrabee, Fin.

Washington—2nd Lt. H. E. Davis, Inf.; 2nd Lt. A. E. Callman, MA; 1st Lt. J. E. Kler, Inf.

West Virginia—2nd Lt. A. S. Cureton, Jr., Inf.

Wisconsin—2nd Lt. L. C. Ostermann, Inf.; X2nd Lt. L. Modder, Cav.

Wyoming—2nd Lt. J. A. Barr, Air.

*Federally recognized in the same grade and branch in the National Gd. XEnlisted man in the National Gd.

Organized Reserves

Englewood, N. J. (Special)—The initial meeting of Northern Valley Chapter, R. O. A., featured by a banquet and election of officers, had among its guests and speakers Brig. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, since appointed Inspector General, Brig. Gen. J. J. Morrow ret., Col. H. V. D. Moore, chairman, formerly mayor of Englewood, and Col. Carroll Badeau, president of the New Jersey Department, R. O. A.

Some 90 Regulars and Reserve Officers attended.

Elections resulted as follows:

President, Col. H. V. D. Moore; vice presidents, Maj. E. H. Valle, Tenafly, Maj. C. Martindale, Teaneck; Capt. William Goslar, Bogota; Maj. James D. Flagg, Hasbrouck Heights; Lt. L. M. Martine, Ridgefield Park; the president and the vice presidents constitute the executive committee. Capt. F. R. Byington as the secretary and Capt. E. E. Randall as the treasurer complete the site.

Brooklyn, (Special)—The following officers of the Brooklyn Chapter R. O. A., elected for the year 1930, were installed at a banquet Jan. 25:

President, Maj. A. O. B. McNevin, FA-Res.; vice president, Maj. R. M. Rogers, Med-Res.; treasurer, Maj. W. J. Hoffman, Ord-Res.; secretary, 1st Lt. M. Dederer, Inf-Res.; judge advocate, Maj. Claude Dore, JAGD-Res.; chaplain, Maj. William Carter, Chap-Res.; councilman, Col. E. A. Simmons, QM-Res.

The following were invited guests of honor: Maj. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, Brig. Gens. O. B. Rosenbaum and Andrew Moses; Col. T. O. Murphy, Hon. F. Taylor, B. Scales and H. Pendry; Maj. W. A. Hardenbergh and E. Davidson.

Guests of the retiring president, Col. E. A. Simmons, were: Col. W. B. Graham, J. R. Lindsey, F. J. Morrow, W. K. Naylor and J. P. Robinson; Lt. Cols. Fred Cardway, T. L. Crystal, A. J. Lynch, C. H. Mason and W. H. Peek, Maj. R. G. DeVoe, F. F. Hall, E. E. Householder and Madison Pearson, and Capt. E. H. Brown.

Kansas City, Mo., (Special)—About July 1st, when he will be relieved from duty at Kelly Field, Capt. W. B. Wright, AC, will be detailed with the Organized Reserves of the 7th Corps Area, with station at Richards Field, Kansas City.

Cincinnati (Special)—At the weekly luncheon of the local R. O. A., Col. C. L. Harrison, Ord. Res., addressed the members on Ordnance Production, discussing the war-time organization, including the settling of claims after the Armistice. He described the present organization under the Assistant Secretary of War and the Chief of Ordnance for procurement of war material in case of another emergency. In conclusion he mentioned some of the improvements and advances made in the manufacture of cannon and other ordnance.

Iowa ROTC Ball

THE 32nd annual Military Ball was held Jan. 17, at the State University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa. Outstanding features of the ball were the decorations, the commissioning of the honorary cadet Colonel, whose identity had been kept a secret until her presentation at the dance, an exhibition by the crock squad of the Pershing Rifle Company, and the presentation of a sabre to the Cadet Colonel Boyd N. Liddle.

Concerning the ball, The Daily Iowan, the university paper said in part "Amid the pomp and splendor of military array, more than 700 couples danced at the Military Ball last night at the Iowa Union." Attention was first arrested by the replica of an old stone Spanish fortress in whose portico Isham Jones and his Brunswick recording orchestra were seated. "The last rays of the setting sun stretching out across the distant sand dunes was the effect given by the hazy blue and red lights which softly illuminated the room."

Board Appointed

THREE officers have been appointed to represent the United States on the joint St. Lawrence waterway board with Canada, Secretary of War Hurley announced Jan. 23. The board has been instructed to study all matters associated with the waterway in order that the United States representatives might reach an agreement with Canada in connection with the international section of the St. Lawrence River.

National Guard Notes

Trenton, N. J. (Special)—Gov. Larson has directed the award of a Distinguished Service Medal to Capt. F. E. Rorbach, who, while serving in France with the 114th Infantry, 29th Div., contributed, by his heroic perseverance and inspiration to his command, to the successful outcome of an action on the Western Front.

Columbia, S. C. (Special)—Effective about June 15, when he will be relieved from assignment to the 34th Infantry at Ft. Eustis, Lt. Col. R. W. Morrison, Inf., is to be detailed here as instructor, Infantry, S. C. NG.

Boston (Special)—The adjutant general, Mass. NG, announces availability for use of the National Guard of certain training films at 1st Corps Area headquarters.

Orange, N. J. (Special)—The Signal Section, Division headquarters Detachment, 44th Division, with station here, has been organized and received Federal recognition.

Austin, Tex. (Special)—Attention of commanding officers of mounted organizations of the Texas National Guard has been directed to the requirement of Army Regulations that reports covering receipts of grain by their outfits shall be based on net

weights. Suspensions against the accounts of the Corps Area finance officer have followed neglect of this procedure.

Joliet, Ill. (Special)—Capt. E. A. Smith, Inf. (DOL), stationed at Maywood, was recently ordered here to inspect Company G, 129th Inf., for Federal recognition.

Baltimore (Special)—The band of the 5th Infantry, Md. NG, gave a concert in the club house auditorium, Maryland Casualty Company, here, on Jan. 19. The band appeared in the blue uniform, before an audience estimated at about 1,000.

Earlier in the day, the band of the 104th Medical Regiment, gave a concert, by radio, from broadcasting station WFBR, in the city. At this time, Capt. R. C. O'Connell, the regimental adjutant, explained to the audience the Medical Regiment's work.

The Guidon, Jan. 15, Company G, 1st Inf., Md. NG, Cumberland, publishes an honor roll of 19 members who attended every drill, Oct. 1-Dec. 31, 1929—a record number.

Senator Sheppard (D), of Texas, has introduced a bill to extend the franking privilege to commissioned officers of the National Guard of the States. The bill was referred to the committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

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Financial Digest

IN A recent bulletin, the G. M.-P. Murphy and Co. discusses and seeks to value the Interstate Commerce Commission's "final" plan for consolidation of the railroads of the United States.

Authorized by the Transportation Act of 1920, to reorganize the railroads of the country into a limited number of systems following the government operation during the World War, a "Tentative Plan" was published in 1921.

"Possibly the two most outstanding characteristics of the present plan as a whole, the bulletin states, are, first, the remarkable degree to which it conforms with a number of proposals submitted during the last five years by the various systems themselves; and secondly, the pronounced overlapping in the rate and traffic areas recognized by the plan of 1921."

"The immediate results of the Commission's Plan may be slight, as there is now no legislation to compel unwilling carriers to combine. Absence of any "complete" plan up to this time, however, has been something of a technical barrier to sanction by the Commission of consolidation proposals voluntarily submitted because the Transportation Act specified that "... a proposed consolidation must be in harmony with and in furtherance of the complete plan..." What- ever its merits, a complete plan has now been published and the way cleared for the Commission's approval of the consolidation proposals that are satisfactory as to terms of acquisition and other particulars."

Hospitalize Surgeons, Etc.

ACTING assistant surgeons, medical and dental in the Army and Navy who served by appointment or contract, during the Spanish War, the Cuban Occupation, the Philippine Insurrection, and the China Relief Expedition, and who were not dishonorably discharged from such service would be entitled to hospitalization in the same manner as the commissioned surgeons in the Army and the Navy, by the terms of a bill—S. 3282—introduced by Dr. Copeland, of New York.



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Gen. Hero's Article

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ing of those residing inland was far from satisfactory. There were no Coast Artillery troops stationed in the Mississippi Valley and training was handicapped by unsatisfactory conditions which existed at the posts selected. Camp Knox is a typical example. Two hundred and fifty Reserve officers were trained here annually by a detachment of the 62nd Coast Artillery (AA) Ft. Totten, N. Y., which moved a distance of over 1,000 miles to perform this duty. It is probable that many reserve officers failed to apply for training on account of the unfavorable conditions which existed.

Travel Expensive.

As an alternative to training the civilian components in the Middle West the trainees might have been sent to either coast. The increased cost to the Government in mileage would have been considerable even if the time lost from the active duty period in travel were not taken into consideration.

The Coast Artillery Corps, under the new organization will maintain only six harbor defenses on an active status—Long Island Sound, Sandy Hook, Chesapeake Bay, Pensacola, San Francisco and Puget Sound. All others will be placed on a caretaking basis with only personnel sufficient to maintain the armament in a continual state of readiness and to prevent its deterioration. The four anti-aircraft regiments are to be stationed at Ft. Totten, N. Y., Ft. Crockett, Tex. (eventually, though at present being organized at Aberdeen Proving Grounds), Ft. MacArthur, Calif., and Ft. Sheridan, Ill. The railway regiment and the tractor drawn regiment, now stationed at Ft. Eustis, Va., will be sent to Ft. Hancock, N. J., and Ft. Monroe, Va., for station, enabling the government to close Ft. Eustis, which, in its deteriorated condition, is a heavy expense for upkeep.

The importance of anti-aircraft artillery increases as the development of aviation continues. No antagonism exists between the Air Corps and the Anti-aircraft Artillery nor should there be any because each is equally important within its own sphere of action. Such incidents as may have been considered by the outsider as evidences of jealousy and bitterness are more properly indicative of the great interest each has in the development of its own arm and the faith which exists in its accomplishments and capabilities. The spirit of rivalry is altogether friendly and is a healthy sign of initiative rather than a lack of cooperation. It is with this spirit that the training of the entire Coast Artillery Corps in anti-aircraft artillery will be initiated.

Air Attacks Likely.

It is difficult to visualize in all details the form future wars will take. Judging from present trends air forces will play an important part in any war hereafter and will be, at least, the initial force with which the aggressive nation will launch its first attack against the resources and war preparations of its adversary. Under such an assumption it is reasonable to suppose that a hostile air attack striking at the industrial and commercial heart of the nation will be launched within a few days after a declaration of war. In fact the nation which desires to effect a complete and terrorizing surprise may dispense with a formal declaration of war. Under this condition it is obvious that time is a most important factor and that the agencies upon which we rely for protection must be kept in constant readiness. Looking towards the ideal state of preparedness the War Department has recently directed that all Coast Artillery troops be trained in the use of anti-aircraft weapons.

This new training mission for the Coast Artillery requires that all commissioned and enlisted personnel attain the same proficiency in the handling of anti-aircraft artillery as in the seacoast artillery to which they are normally assigned. In fact, it is hardly correct to consider sea coast artillery as a normal assignment any more than anti-aircraft is because both will receive equal attention. This new mission will be welcomed as an opportunity to again demonstrate the versatility of the Coast Artillery Corps and the additional effort required will be recompensed by the satisfaction which will be felt by all ranks in its accomplishment.

New Chiefs Endorsed

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fitness and qualifications as officers. The restlessness comes from what is generally deemed a violation of the spirit of the national defense act, which although not specifically requiring chiefs of branches to have been permanently commissioned in the branch they head, is construed in many quarters to have intended that such should be the case.

Representative W. Frank James, chairman of the Military Affairs committee, took quite an interest in the principle back of the appointment and

Pay Sliding Approved

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agreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the joint resolution (S. J. Res. 7), providing for the appointment of a joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives to investigate the pay and allowances of the commissioned and enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Public Health Service, submit the following written statement, explaining the effect of the action agreed on at the conference:

"The House amended the title of the joint resolution by including the Lighthouse Service among the several other services that were to be investigated. Upon further study of this question the conference managers ascertained that the pay of the Lighthouse Service came under the provisions of the classified civil service act, and therefore was not eligible to be considered along with the other services enumerated in the title of the joint resolution that did not come within that act. The managers on the part of the House, therefore, recommend in their report that the House recede from its amendment."

Acting Secretary of the Navy Jahneke has sent the following letter to the Chiefs of the naval bureaus:

"From the recent action of the Congress on Senate Resolution 7, authorizing the creation of a Joint Committee to investigate the pay and allowances of the Military Services, it appears probable that such a committee will be formed in the near future."

"In March-July, 1929, an Interdepartmental Board investigated this Subject and submitted a comprehensive report thereon, including recommendations for revision of existing legislation. The Navy Department representatives on this Board were Rear Admiral Luke McNamee, USN, Senior Member; General George Richards, USMC, and Captain E. R. Wilson, SC, USN, Members, and Commander T. S. Wilkinson, USN, Recorder."

In view of their familiarity with the subject, the Department desires that these officers be considered as the initial representatives of the Department in its relations with the Joint Committee. Such additional representatives as the Committee or the Department may desire will later be designated as occasion may require.

"It is requested that the Bureau of Navigation, the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, and other interested divisions of the Department be prepared to assist these representatives by the assignment of such personnel and the supplying of such data as may from time to time be necessary."

Posts and Stations

FT. RILEY, KANS.

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and Mrs. Benjamin F. Hoge, Maj. and Mrs. Wilson T. Bala, Capt. and Mrs. Ernest F. Dukes, Capt. and Mrs. Paul H. Stewart, Capt. and Mrs. Carleton Burgess, Mrs. William M. Grimes, Lt. and Mrs. John H. Stadler, Mrs. H. R. Fitton, Lt. Peter C. Hains and Lt. Paul Greenhaigh.

Miss Katherine Morris arrived on the post last week from Governors Island, N. Y., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Clark L. Ruffner and Lt. Ruffner.

A tea and musical recital was given by Mrs. Vaughn M. Cannon for her pupils on Saturday afternoon. Her guests numbered 16.

Mrs. H. R. Fitton, of Indianapolis, Ind., was the honor guest of a beautifully appointed tea given by Mrs. Robert M. Campbell last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Abraham G. Lott and Mrs. Samuel McP. Rutherford presided at the tea table. About 20 guests came in to meet Mrs. Fitton during the tea hour. Mrs. Fitton is the sister of Maj. Wilson T. Bala. Lt. and Mrs. Frank O. Dewey entertained with a dinner on Saturday evening.

asked Secretary Hurley to explain the basis in law upon which his recommendation was made. The Secretary's brief reply to Mr. James follows:

"January 23, 1930.

"Hon. W. Frank James,
"Chairman Committee on Military Affairs, House of Representatives.
"Dear Mr. James:

"In reply to your telephone request of this morning for the authority in law upon which the recommendation of Col. John L. DeWitt to be Quartermaster General was based, the following extract from Sec. 4c, National Defense Act, as amended, is furnished:

"... Appointment as chief of any branch shall be made from among officers commissioned in grades not below that of colonel, and as assistant from among officers of not less than fifteen years' commissioned service, who have demonstrated by actual and extended service in such branch or on similar duty that they are qualified for such appointment."

"With reference to your further question as to whether an officer who had served all of his time in the Infantry could be appointed Chief of Cavalry my reply is that such an appointment would not be in accordance with the law."

(Signed) "PATRICK J. HURLEY."
Mr. James has been confined to his home with a severe cold since Tuesday, so his next move is in doubt, but it is believed likely that he will make further inquiries.

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Ens. J. H. Brett, Jr., det. USS Colorado about March 23; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Ens. E. O. Davis, det. USS Lardner; to USS Bernadou.

Ens. E. L. Densford, det. USS Reid; to USS Cole.

Ens. F. D. Giambattista, det. USS Coghlan; to USS Dickerson.

Ens. G. B. Gilbertson, det. USS Coghlan; to USS Dickerson.

Ens. J. T. Hazen, det. USS Reid; to USS Cole.

Ens. W. S. Heald, det. USS Preston; to USS Leary.

Ens. N. W. Lowrie, det. USS Lamson; to USS Herbert.

Ens. J. R. Rubins, det. USS Lamson; to USS Herbert.

Ens. H. C. Zitzewitz, det. USS Coghlan; to USS Dickerson.

Comdr. M. W. Mangold (DC) det. Rec. Ship, New York, N. Y., about Feb. 15; to Marine Bks., Parris Island, S. C. Ora. Jan. 8 to NYd., New York, N. Y., revoked.

Lt. (jg) M. A. Bliss (DC), det. Nav. Med. School, Wash., D. C., about Feb. 3; to Navy Yard, Boston.

Lt. (jg) L. LeGendre, det. Nav. Med. School, Wash., D. C., about Feb. 3; to Nav. Hosp., New York, N. Y.

Lt. (jg) M. G. Martin (DC), det. Nav. Med. School, Wash., D. C., about Feb. 3; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Newport, R. I.

Lt. (jg) A. E. Logan (DC), det. Nav. Med. School, Wash., D. C., about Feb. 3; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Newport, R. I.

Capt. L. N. Taylor (CHC), det. Flt. Chaplain, Battle Flt., about Feb. 14; to 11th Nav. Dist.

Ch. Pay Clk. R. J. Kilton, det. Spbm. Base, Coco Solo, C. Z., about Feb. 10; to USS Asheville.

Ch. Pay Clk. W. W. Metcalf, det. USS Asheville about Feb. 24; to Rec. Sta., Phila., Pa.

Comdr. Charles Edward Rommel, USN, ret., died Jan. 9, 1930, at New York, N. Y.

Lt. Comdr. Henry Niemann, (CEC), USN, died Jan. 21, 1930, at the Nav. Hosp., Washington, D. C.

Mach. Richard Joseph Powers, USN, ret., died Nov. 18, 1929, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Jan. 27, 1930

Capt. D. W. Todd, relieved from all active duty to home and wait orders pending action retirement.

Lt. M. A. Anderson, det. USS Hamilton about May 20; to Naval Academy.

Lt. R. E. Daniels, det. USS Rigel about Feb. 1; to resignation accepted effective March 31, 1930.

Lt. H. L. Dodson, det. USS Lexington about May 22; to Navy Yard, Boston.

Lt. M. M. Dupre, det. USS New Mexico about May 22; to Naval Observatory, Wash., D. C.

Lt. H. D. Goldy, det. USS Nevada about May 24; to Naval Academy.

Lt. C. F. Macklin, Jr., det. Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va., about May 1; to USS New Mexico.

Lt. J. F. Rees, det. USS Worden; to USS Ellia.

Lt. D. J. Sinnott, det. Naval War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to Naval Academy.

Lt. R. McL. Smith, det. Nav. Res. Lab., Bellevue, D. C., about May 1; to USS Nevada.

Lt. A. L. Toney, det. USS S-23 about June 6; to Subm. Base, Coco Solo, C. Z.

Lt. (jg) C. W. Humphreys, det. USS Oklahoma; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. (jg) C. H. Mann, det. USS California about May 22; to Naval Communications, Navy Dept.

Lt. (jg) L. N. Miller, det. USS Saratoga about May 24; to Naval Academy.

Lt. (jg) R. G. Norman, det. Nav. Air Sta., Hampton Rds., Va., about Jan. 15; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) J. A. Ralph, det. USS California about June 20; to 14th Nav. Dist.

Lt. (jg) M. J. West, det. Nav. Air Sta., Hampton Rds., Va., about Jan. 15; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) J. E. M. Wood, det. USS Tennessee about May 22; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill.

Ens. H. A. McCormick, det. USS Idaho about April 2; to resignation accepted effective May 17.

Ens. W. A. Taylor, det. USS Medusa about April 26; to resignation accepted effective April 30, 1930.

Comdr. E. H. Tennent (DC), det. Nav. Hosp., Norfolk, Va.; to Nav. Med. School, Wash., D. C. Ora. Nov. 22 revoked.

Lt. V. V. M. Boggs (SC), det. Nav. Ammun. Depot, Ft. Mifflin, Pa., about March 1; to Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Ch. Bosn. W. De Fries, det. USS Pinola; to temp. duty USS Seagull, thence to duty Subm. Base, Pearl Harbor, T. H. Ora. Jan. 17 modified.

Ch. Bosn. G. C. Gittins, det. Subm. Base, Pearl Harbor, T. H.; to USS Langley.

Ch. Bosn. W. A. Spencer, det. USS Rigel about March 1; to USS Pelican.

Bosn. J. L. Hunter, det. USS Pelican about March 22; to USS Rigel.

Ch. Mach. C. J. Naprstek, det. Navy Yard, Phila., Pa., about March 10; to connection USS Chester.

Rad. El. A. L. Day det. Nav. Air Sta., Coco Solo, C. Z.; to connection USS Northampton

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Comdr. S. F. Heim, det. Nav. Observatory, Wash., D. C.; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. A. G. Stirling, det. USS Florida about June 1; to Nav. Observatory, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Comdr. R. W. Cary, det. USS California about May 15; to USS Colorado.

Lt. Comdr. F. L. Lowe, det. office of

Judge Advocate Gen. of the Navy about April 15; to USS Saratoga.

Lt. Comdr. H. L. Maples, ora. Jan. 17 modified. To temp. duty Bu. Nav., thence to duty USS Niagara.

Lt. E. V. Abrams, det. USS Whitney about May 24; to Naval Academy.

Lt. J. G. McFarland, det. Nav. Ord. Plant, South Charleston, W. Va., about April 15; to USS Chaumont.

Lt. Comdr. H. M. Mullinnix, det. command VB Sqd. 2B, (USS Saratoga), Air Sqds., Battle Flt., about May 22; to Nav. Air Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. D. C. Allen, det. USS Lexington about May 22; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. C. S. Beightler, det. USS Tennessee about May 22; to Naval Academy.

Lt. A. O. R. Bergeson, det. command USS S-43 about June 10; to Navy Yard, Mare Island, Calif.

Lt. W. E. G. Erskins, det. Hydrographic Office, Navy Dept., about May 15; to USS Arkansas.

Lt. C. C. Hartman, det. USS Dorsey about May 20; to Naval Academy.

Lt. M. J. Connolly, det. Nav. Trng. Sta., San Diego, Calif., about May 15; to USS Omaha.

Lt. A. K. Doyle, det. VF Sqd. 2B, (USS Langley) Air Sqds., Battle Flt., about May 22; to Naval Academy.

Lt. J. Fife, Jr., det. Nav. Trng. Sta., San Diego, Calif., about May 15; to USS Idaho.

Lt. K. N. Gardner, det. Naval Communications, Navy Dept., about May 1; to USS Arctic.

Lt. H. A. Guthrie, det. Subm. Div. 11, Battle Flt., about May 24; to Bu. Eng.

Lt. F. B. Kauffman, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla., about Feb. 3; to Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Lt. H. H. McLean, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to command USS S-45.

Lt. S. B. Moore, det. Naval Academy about May 28; to Navy Yard, Wash., D. C.

Lt. F. P. Sherman, det. Aide and flag sec'y on staff Air Sqds., Battle Flt., about May 22; to Naval Academy.

Lt. G. B. Sherwood, det. Hydrographic Office, Navy Dept., about May 1; to USS Langley.

Lt. R. E. Stogsdall, Jr., det. Naval War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to command USS S-26.

Lt. W. G. Switzer, det. Naval Academy about March 8; to Navy Yard, Wash., D. C.

Lt. J. B. Sykes, det. Naval Academy about March 8; to Navy Yard, Wash., D. C.

Lt. A. E. Uehlinger, det. Naval Academy about March 8; to Navy Yard, Wash., D. C.

Lt. F. O. Wells, det. USS Wyoming about May 15; to Navy Yard, New York, N. Y.

Lt. G. S. Young, ora. Jan. 1 revoked. Det. USS Tennessee about Feb. 1; to treatment, Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif.

Lt. (jg) H. H. Connelley, det. USS Colorado about May 15; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Newport, R. I.

Lt. (jg) M. T. Farrar, det. USS S-16 about May 15; to Naval Academy.

Lt. (jg) G. K. Hodgkiss, det. USS S-14 about May 15; to Naval Academy.

Lt. (jg) K. K. M. McLaren, det. Naval Academy about March 8; to Navy Yard, Wash., D. C.

Lt. (jg) W. K. Mendenhall, Jr., det. Naval Academy about March 8; to Navy Yard, Wash., D. C.

Lt. (jg) D. L. Nutter, det. USS Texas about May 22; to Naval Academy.

Lt. (jg) S. B. Spangler, det. Nav. Air Sta., Coco Solo, C. Z., about May 15; to Naval Academy.

Lt. (jg) F. S. Withington, det. Naval Academy about March 8; to Navy Yard, Wash., D. C.

Ens. D. L. MacDonald, ora. Jan. 3 revoked; to continue duty USS Mississippi.

Ens. L. F. Keys, det. USS Truxton; to Mine Detachment, Asiatic Flt.

Lt. Comdr. A. Freeman (MC), det. Navy Yard, Phila., Pa., about March 5; to 1st Brigade, U. S. Marines, Haiti.

Lt. Comdr. H. E. Stedman (MC), det. Subm. Base, New London, Conn., about Jan. 31; to resignation accepted effective March 10.

Lt. Comdr. J. C. Lough (DC), ora. issued by Cin C, Asiatic Flt., modified. To duty Navy Yard, Mare Island, Calif.

Capt. D. Potter (SC), det. Member, Nav. War Claims Bd., Navy Dept., about March 1; to duty as Gen. Insp., Supply Corps, West Coast, San Francisco, Calif.

Capt. G. M. Stackhouse, ora. Nov. 8 modified. Upon arrival in U. S. to duty Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va.

Lt. W. H. Abbey, det. Navy Yard, Pearl Harbor, T. H.; to USS Chaumont.

Lt. T. C. Edrington (SC), det. USS Chaumont about May 5; to Off. in Chg., Fuel Oil Sta., Yorktown, Va.

Lt. W. H. McKenna (SC), det. USS Bridge about June 1; to Navy Yard, New York, N. Y.

Ch. Bosn. C. Motz, det. USS Seattle about March 1; to USS Woodcock.

Ch. Bosn. H. W. Barnes, det. Nav. Air Sta., San Diego, Calif., about Feb. 1; to USS Maryland.

Ch. Gun. A. W. McCoy, det. USS Maryland about March 1, to Subm. Base, Coco Solo, C. Z.

Gun. G. E. Walton, det. USS Gold Star about April 6; to Rec. Ship, San Francisco, Calif.

Rad. El. E. J. Des Rosier, det. Nav. Research Laboratory, Bellevue, D. C., about Feb. 15; to connection USS Chester.

Ch. Pharm. J. C. Fagan, det. Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif., about April 15; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Comdr. L. D. Causey, det. command

Weddings

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no attendants. The bride was charmingly gowned in an ensemble of flat crepe in a golden brown shade and she wore a small turban of meline to match. Her bouquet was a colonial bouquet of Paul Pernet roses, sweet peas and violets with a lace frille.

A wedding breakfast was served following the ceremony. The dining room was decorated in white and green.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith have gone to Tucson, Ariz., to reside where they will be at home at 336 North Vine Avenue. Mrs. Smith recently returned from an extended trip through Mexico, Central America, Panama, South America, Cuba and New York. She has also visited the principal eastern and southern cities. Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Smith of Hollywood and Fayette County, W. Va. He is a graduate of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, and is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity.

Subm. Division 19 about May 24; to Nav War College, Newport, R. I.

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Comdr. C. W. Crosse, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I. about May 29; to USS Gold Star.

Comdr. R. E. Rogers, det. Naval Academy about May 10; to USS Oklahoma.

Comdr. P. Seymour, det. Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Roads, about June 15; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. R. L. Walker, det. USS Utah; to duty as Rctg. Insp., Southeastern Rctg. Div., Atlanta, Ga.

Lt. Comdr. C. E. Battle, Jr., det. Naval Academy about May 3; to USS Oklahoma.

Lt. Comdr. L. S. Fiske, det. Naval Academy about May 10; to USS Saratoga.

Lt. Comdr. E. G. Hanson, det. Naval Observatory, Wash., D. C., about June 1; to USS Arizona.

Lt. H. L. Clark, det. command USS S-26 about June 10; to Navy Yard, New York, N. Y.

Lt. L. E. Clifford, det. Naval Academy about May 10; to USS New Mexico.

Lt. S. T. Cloughy, ora. April 30 modified. To duty USS Gold Star.

Lt. L. Dreier, ora. Jan. 18, modified. To duty Bu. Eng.

Lt. L. B. Farrell, det. Nav. Trng. Sta., Newport, R. I., about May 23; to command USS O-10.

Lt. W. B. Fletcher, det. command USS O-7 about June 6; to Subm. Base, New London, Conn.

Lt. E. W. Foster, det. command USS O-6 about June 6; to Subm. Base, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Lt. E. D. Graves, det. Naval Academy about May 29; to command USS O-3.

Lt. N. R. Hitchcock, det. aide on staff Air Sqds., Battle Flt. about May 22; to Naval Academy.

Lt. J. C. Hubbard, det. Naval Academy about May 29; to command USS O-7.

Lt. W. H. Hutter, det. Navy Yard, New York, N. Y. about May 1; to USS Raleigh.

Lt. D. L. Jones, det. Naval Academy about May 29; to command USS S-42.

Lt. E. I. McQuiston, det. Naval Academy about May 29; to command USS O-6.

Lt. L. L. Pace, det. Naval Academy about May 29; to command USS S-43.

Lt. L. A. Parker, det. USS Mississippi about May 22; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Lt. L. K. Pollard, det. 3rd Nav. Dist., about May 29; to command USS O-9.

Lt. C. R. Pratt, det. USS Maryland about May 22; to Naval Academy.

Lt. E. C. Furrington, det. USS Chaumont about April 5; to USS Idaho.

Lt. A. C. J. Sabalot, det. USS Pennsylvania about May 22; to USS Pennsylvania.

Lt. W. J. Suite, det. command USS O-2 about May 29; to Naval Academy.

Lt. J. L. Thompson, det. Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Roads, about May 10; to USS Tennessee.

Lt. D. H. Wilson, det. Navy Yard, Portsmouth, N. H., about March 1; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) L. E. Crist, Jr., det. Univ. of Mich., Ann Arbor, Mich.; to Navy Yard, Wash., D. C.

Lt. (jg) F. D. Hamblin, det. command USS O-8 about June 6; to Subm. Base, Coco Solo, C. Z.

Lt. (jg) H. D. Krick, det. Univ. of Mich., Ann Arbor, Mich.; to Navy Yard, Wash., D. C.

Lt. (jg) F. L. Robbins, det. USS O-4 about May 29; to Naval Academy.

Lt. (jg) M. W. Wood, det. command USS O-9 about June 6; to Subm. Base, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Ens. G. B. Coale, det. USS Putnam about Feb. 24; to resignation accepted effective April 17.

Ens. E. E. Fickling, det. USS Wyoming about March 23; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Ens. J. Quinn, det. USS Tennessee about Mar. 23 to etemp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Rear Adm. T. S. Jewett (SC), det. Off. in Chg., Nav. Supply Depot, Brooklyn, N. Y., about April 1; to duty 3rd Nav. Dist.

Rear Adm. C. J. Peoples (SC) det. Gen. Insp., Supply Corps, West Coast, San Francisco, about March 12; to Naval Supply Depot, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Capt. W. N. Hughes (SC) ora. Dec. 5 modified. To Nav. Trng. Sta., Newport, R. I.

Lt. (jg) C. H. Douglas (CHC) det. Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va., about Feb. 1; to Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Kahn's Article

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'one officer to so many enlisted men.' The commissioned personnel of an army does not stand in any such ratio to the enlisted men. The various tactical organizations are not officered alike, some requiring many more officers than others, and many military functions are necessarily performed by officers who are not attached to troops at all. * * *

A study of the sources of appointment of officers in the Army indicates that more than 3,300 came from civil life, approximately 3,700 graduated from West Point, and the balance are made up of promotions of enlisted men, officers of the Reserve Corps and National Guard, flying cadets and so forth, so that there is a very general cross-section of civilian life in the military establishment. The fact that many of the officers of the Army are called upon, under the national defense system of today, to help civilians in the Reserve Corps, the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, the National Guard, and Citizens' Military Training Camps to secure a knowledge of military hygiene and tactics that will enable them to take care of themselves in time of war emergency is most valuable. Despite the hope that there will be no more war, and regardless of the very laudable efforts being made to prevent any recurrence of war, there still remains the menace, and it is but proper that those who must bear the burden of the defense of our rights at any time should be taught the fundamental lessons of self-preservation from a hygienic standpoint and tactics that will enable them to be successful in combat when such combat may be necessary.

A further study of the tables of distribution indicates that a very large percentage of officers are necessary for administrative functions, for detail to what amounts to civilian activities, so that a great many officers are needed in addition to those actually and in fact needed for strictly military functions, that is the actual training of enlisted men of the Regular Army to fight. We find there are 239 officers necessary for the General Staff Corps, charged with planning organization and all the problems that go with such work, the Infantry, Cavalry, Field and Coast Artillery has 4,651 officers, not at all a heavy proportion, the various staff corps, such as Quartermaster, Ordnance, and so forth, 2,021, while there are 1,186 in the Medical Corps and 123 Chaplains, not fighters, but nevertheless very necessary to a complete organization. Then we find there are 469 officers with the National Guard, 471 with the Organized Reserves, 674 with the Reserve Officers Training Corps and 8 with Citizens Military Training Camps. As instructors and students at the various service schools studying for high command and the like there were 428 officers, 178 at the Military Academy, 107 on Recruiting duty, 30 at the Disciplinary Barracks, and the remaining officers of the total commissioned at various miscellaneous tasks calling only for a few here and there.

We find there 669 officers in Hawaii, 376 in Panama, 597 in the Philippines, 51 in China, 66 in Porto Rico, 12 in Alaska, and the remainder in various stations in the United States.

We find that when any disaster occurs the Army is called upon to render aid, not only in men to care for the stranded citizens, but to supply immediate aid in the form of tents, blankets, medicines and the like, because they have supplies immediately available. Such was the case in the flooded area of the South when the Mississippi went on a rampage, the Florida hurricane, as well as in Porto Rico, and in Chicago during railroad strikes years ago, and many other instances. We find the Army called upon in the work of studying the Nicaraguan Canal route. We find when the Bureau of the Budget needed the work of coordination accomplished Army personnel was called upon. And so on and on in many, many instances are Army officers called upon in time of peace, so that while preparing for war emergency they are at the same time constantly used for peace-time emergencies.

With all these requirements it is hard for one well acquainted with the problems faced by the military establishment to understand why there should be a wish to cut the personnel in numbers rather than to provide always for an adequate number for any possible emergency, particularly peace-time emergencies, even though for a portion of the time there may be some officers who do not appear to be just as busy as they would be were they called upon to enter into war time duties.

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